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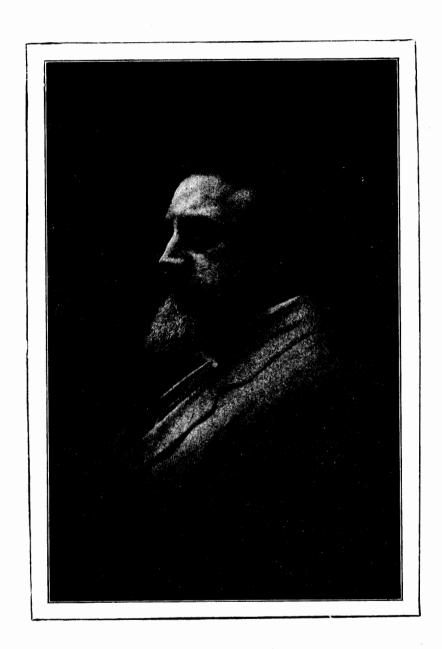
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#### NOTES ON THE SONGS

No. 1. Sally in our Alley. ENGLAND

THIS charming ballad was written and composed by Henry Carey about 1715, and his tune is found in Walsh's Dancing Master, vol. ii, 1719; in The Beggar's Opera, The Devil to Pay, The Fashionable Lady, The Merry Cobbler, Love in a Riddle; and in his own Musical Century, vol. ii, p. 32. The author's account of the origin of the ballad is well worth quoting:

"A vulgar error having prevailed among many persons, who imagine Sally Salisbury the subject of this ballad, the author begs leave to undeceive and assure them it has not the least allusion to her, he being a stranger to her very name at the time this song was composed: for, as innocence and virtue were ever the boundaries of his muse, so, in this little poem, he had no other view than to set forth the beauty of a chaste and disinterested passion, even in the lowest class of human life. The real occasion was this: a shoemaker's 'prentice, making holiday with his sweetheart, treated her with a sight of Bedlam, the puppetshows, the flying chairs, and all the elegancies of Moorfields, from whence proceeding to the farthing-pye-house, he gave her a collation of buns, cheesecakes, gammon of bacon, stuffed beef, and bottled ale, through all which scenes the author dodged them. Charmed with the simplicity of their courtship, he drew from what he had witnessed this little sketch of nature; but, being then young and obscure, he was very much ridiculed by some of his acquaintance for this performance, which nevertheless made its way into the polite world, and amply recompensed him by the applause of the divine Addison, who was pleased more than once to mention it with approbation." (Chappell, vol. ii, p. 645.)

A great many versions of the ballad were sung to Carey's tune, which was very popular, but it was finally discarded about 1760, and the old ballad air of "The Country Lass" substituted, to which it has been wedded for more than a hundred years, and in which form we now know it. The older version of "The Country Lass" has been used in this edition, as not only is it more simply beautiful, but more suitable to the rhythm of the words, than the current version as it appears in *The Minstrelsy of England* (Moffat and Kidson), and Boosey's *Songs of England*, where it has been transposed from the original key to that of C major.

AUTHORITIES. Chappell: Popular Music of the Olden Time, vol. ii, p. 647. Collection of National English Airs, p. 61, No. 124. Moffat and Kidson: The Minstrelsy of England, p. 215. Brown and Moffat: Characteristic Songs, p. 11. Boosey: Songs of England, vol. i, p. 27.

#### No. 2. O Willow, Willow! ENGLAND

An early setting of this air, bearing the title, "All a Greene Willow," appears in the manuscript of a lute book, dated 1583, which is in the library of Trinity College, Dublin. Bishop Percy gives a version of this song as a ballad in his Reliques of Ancient English Poetry, where it is to be found under the title, "A Lover's Complaint, being forsaken of his Love; to a pleasant tune." Other versions may be found in early MSS. in the British Museum. The burden "Willow, willow!" was a favorite among old song-writers, and Kidson (The Minstrelsy of England) speaks of its frequent use. The words, however, differ in most versions, and Shakspere, introducing the song for Desdemona in the fourth Act of Othello, made certain alterations to suit his dramatic purpose. Although the melody has been traced to the sixteenth century, it is probably of earlier origin. The lute was evidently employed as the first form of accompaniment; but the charm and beauty of the melody alone might be sufficient to account for the widespread popularity which this song seems to have attained. An interesting example is here afforded of the unusual setting of an English song in the minor key. Most English songs are found in the major key.

AUTHORITIES. Chappell: Popular Music of the Olden Time, vol. i, p. 206. Moffat and Kidson: The Minstrelsy of England, p. 14. Boosey: Songs of England, vol. i, p. 20. Bridge: Songs from Shakespeare, p. 17. Elson: Shakespeare in Music, p. 291. Grove: Dictionary of Music and Musicians, vol. iii, p. 605.

#### No. 3. The Vicar of Bray. ENGLAND

A VERSION of this song written by Edward Ward was printed in his Miscellanies, third edition of 1712, but may have been published before that time. This fact disproves the assertion of Nichols in his select poems that it "was written by a soldier in Colonel Fuller's troop of dragoons in the reign of George I." The first tune to which it was set was an old Scottish air, "Bessie Bell and Mary Gray," and not until the eighteenth century was it united to the present well-known melody, of which the original name, given in the old Ballad Operas, The Quaker's Opera (1728) and The Grub Street Opera (1731), was "The Country Garden." The Vicar of Bray in Berkshire, a Thames-side village, from 1540 to 1588, was Simon Aleyn, Canon of Windsor. Reproached for his elastic opinions,—he changed from Papist in the reign of Henry VIII to Protestant under Edward VI, Papist under Mary, and Protestant once again on the accession of Elizabeth, -this accommodating Vicar replied unabashed, -"If I changed my religion, I am sure I kept true to my principle; which is, to live and die the Vicar of Bray." Thus originated the proverb -"The Vicar of Bray will be Vicar of Bray still."

AUTHORITIES. Chappell: Popular Music of the Olden Time, vol. ii, p. 652. Collection of National English Airs, p. 14, No. 26. Moffat and Kidson: The Minstrelsy of England, p. 220. Bossey: Songs of England, vol. i, p. 14. Nicholson: British Songs, p. 24, No. 12.

No. 4. Come, lasses and lads. ENGLAND THIS popular song dates from 1672. It was printed in Westminster Drollery and entitled "The rural dance about the Maypole;" the tune, the first figure dance at Mr. Young's Ball, May,

1671. In D'Urfey's Pills to purge Melancholy, vol. i of the early edition, and vol. iii of 1719, it appears with the tune untouched, but with the words considerably altered and abbreviated. In Tixall Poetry, 1813, from an old manuscript, there is an additional stanza not found in Westminster Drollery. The tune now best known differs in many respects from the first version.

AUTHORITIES. Chappell: Popular Music of the Olden Time, vol. ii, p. 531. Brown and Moffat: Characteristic Songs, etc., p. 8. Boosey: Songs of England, vol. i, p. 122. Nicholson: British Songs, p. 162, No. 81.

#### No. 5. Annie Laurie. Scotland

The heroine of this song was a daughter of Sir Robert Laurie, first Baronet of Maxwellton, created in 1685. The words were written by Douglas of Fingland, who, in spite of his devotion, did not gain the lady for a wife, as she was married to a Mr. Fergusson of Craigdarroch. The air, however, is quite modern, having been composed by Lady John Scott. A copy, dated 1847, is to be found in the British Museum.

AUTHORITIES. Graham: Songs of Scotland, vol. iii, p. 24. Boosey: Songs of Scotland, vol. i, p. 4. Moffat: Minstrelsy of Scotland, p. 109. Mitchison: Handbook of the Songs of Scotland, p. 1. Scots Minstrelsie, vol. i, p. 72-

No. 6. My ain kind dearie, O. Scotland The tune, formerly known as "The Lea Rig," was popular in England at the commencement of the eighteenth century. James Oswald published it in his Caledonian Pocket Companion, vol. iii, 1755; but its author is unknown. The song usually appears in most modern collections set to Burns's words, "When o'er the hill the eastern star." The original words were written by Robert Fergusson, with additional stanzas by

AUTHORITIES. Graham: Songs of Scotland, vol. i, p. 142. Boosey: Songs of Scotland, vol. i, p. 220. Grosby: Caledonian Musical Repository, p. 130. Moffat: Minstrelsy of Scotland, p. 265. Mitchison: Handbook of the Songs of Scotland, p. 64. Reimann: Internationales Volksliederbuch, vol. ii, p. 40, No. 49. The Thrush, p. 100. Scots Minstrelsie, vol. iii, p. 356.

William Reid. They have since been modified to

the version given here.

No. 7. The Laird o' Cockpen. Scotland

THE Laird of Cockpen was a devoted adherent to the cause of the Stuarts in the time of Cromwell, and an interesting anecdote is related of him in Mitchison's Handbook of the Songs of Scotland. The original air, set to the words, "When she cam ben, she bobbit," is among the oldest of Scottish melodies. It appears in Mrs. Crockat's Manuscript book of Tunes, dated 1709; also in Oswald's Curious Collection of Scots Tunes, 1740; in Pippard's A Hundred and Twenty Country Dances, 1711; and in Musick for Allan Ramsay's Collection, Bk. iv, 1726. The verses are ascribed to Lady Nairne, with the exception of the last two. There is a distinct Irish flavor about the tune, particularly noticeable in the tonality and cadences. The air, however, is one of the oldest specimens of Scottish minstrelsy.

AUTHORITIES. Graham: Songs of Scotland, vol. i, p. 42. Boosey: Songs of England, vol. i, p. 162. Moffat: Minstrelsy of Scotland, p. 214. Mitchison: Handbook of the Songs of Scotland, p. 168. Nicholson: British Songs, p. 78, No. 40. Scots Minstrelsie, vol. v, p. 204.

#### No. 8. O Logie o' Buchan. Scotland

The song first appeared in Johnson's Scots Musical Museum, 1786, along with its tune, which is said to be a transformation of "The tailor fell thro' the bed, thimble and a'," and finds a place in Aird's Selection, vol. ii, 1782, under the heading of "The Tailor's March."

Mr. Patrick Buchan writes in his Gleanings of Scarce Old Ballads, 1825, as follows:

"This inimitable song belongs to the 'North Countrie;' the author was George Halket, schoolmaster, for some time, at Rothen, and author of 'Whirry Whigs awa', man,' with several other esteemed Jacobite Songs. He was a Jacobite out and out; so much so, that, when the Duke of Cumberland was in the North, he offered a reward of one hundred guineas for his head, either dead or alive;—so much offence had the effusions of his muse given to the then reigning powers. The hero of the piece was a James Robertson, gardener at Logie, parish of Crimond, Aberdeenshire."

AUTHORITIES. Graham: Songs of Scotland, vol. i, p. 82. Crosby: Caledonian Musical Repository, p. 120. Boosey: Songs of Scotland, vol. i, p. 14. Moffat: Minstrelsy of Scotland, p. 160. Mitchison, Handbook of the Songs of Scotland, p. 6. Berggreen: Folke-Sange og Melodier, vol. iv, No. 92. The Skylark, p. 29. Scots Minstrelsie, vol. i, p. 26.

No. 9. The Last Rose of Summer. IRELAND THE words of this well-known song are by Thomas Moore, who set them to a version of "The Groves of Blarney," which may be found in Holden's Irish Tunes, 1806. The earliest printed version appears in Bunting's Ancient Irish Music, 1796, as "The Young Man's Dream," and Petrie considers this to be the oldest. Moore also wrote another setting—"As a beam o'er the face of the waters may glow"—to the original air of "The Young Man's Dream."

AUTHORITIES. Boosey: Songs of Ireland, p. 22. Moffat: Minstrelsy of Ireland, p. 285. Brown and Moffat: Characteristic Songs, etc., p. 38. Nicholson: British Songs, p. 43. Peters: Volksliederbuch, p. 43, No. 43. Berggreen: Folke-Sange og Melodier, vol. iv, No. 81. Stevenson: Moore's Irish Melodies.

#### No. 10. The Minstrel Boy. IRELAND

This air, called "The Moreen" (Moirin, diminutive of Moria, a girl's name), is a later version of the older melody, "The green woods of Truigha," printed in Bunting's Ancient Music of Ireland, 1809, to which Moore wrote his song "Silence is in our festal halls." "The green woods of Truigha" is without doubt one of the oldest airs of Ireland, and is known by many different names in various parts of the country.

AUTHORITIES. Boosey: Songs of Ireland, p. 18. Moffat: Minstrelsy of Ireland, p. 244. Nicholson: British Songs, p. 48. Breitkopf and Härtel: Volksliederbuch, p. 40, No. 41.

No. 11. The Daughters of Erin. IRELAND THE air of "Garryowen," to which Moore has written these words, is undoubtedly an Irish dance-tune, and, as far as we know, was first printed in a collection of Scotch dance-music, Gow's Repository of Original Scotch Dances, 1802. It first became popular in a pantomime—Harle-

quin Amulet—which was played in 1800, and is often used at the present day as a military quick-step. Garryowen is a suburb of Limerick, and is said to mean Owen's Garden.

AUTHORITIES. Boosey: Songs of Ireland, p. 44. Moffat: Minstrelsy of Ireland, p. 296. Brown and Moffat: Characteristic Songs, etc., p. 42. Berggreen: Folke-Sange og Melodier, vol. iv, No. 35.

### No. 12. The Pretty Girl milking her Cow. IRELAND

AGAIN must we go to Bunting's first collection of Irish music, 1796, for the earliest version of this charming air. Holden gives it in his Old Established Irish Tunes, vol. i, 1806, and Periodical Irish Melodies, set in the latter to the well-known lines "The beam on the streamlet was playing." Moore is also responsible for the verses beginning, "The valley lay smiling before me," set to the same tune.

AUTHORITIES. Boosey: Songs of Ireland, pp. 12 and 210. Moffat: Minstrelsy of Scotland, p. 240.

### No. 13. All through the Night (Ar hyd y nos). WALES

An old Welsh air, more familiarly known, perhaps, as "Poor Mary Ann." The tune is very simple in construction, the first phrase of four measures being twice repeated. It is an interesting example of a primitive type to be found in folksongs of early origin.

The form may be briefly outlined as follows. If letter A be taken to represent the first complete phrase of four measures, and B a secondary phrase, differing in melodic or rhythmic character from the first, then the formula AABA may be accepted as a representative type, and this will be found to be the general scheme on which the simplest songs are usually built.

AUTHORITIES. Boosey: Songs of Wales, p. 4. Welsh Songs, No. 1.

No. 14. Hunting the Hare (Hela'r 'sgyvar-nog). WALES

Traditionary evidence points to the tune being of early date and of Welsh origin, in spite of claims having been put forward to an English

descent. The construction of this song is similar to the foregoing, and the same formula AABA can be applied. Owing to its lively character, the melody is often used as a country-dance.

AUTHORITIES. Boosey: Songs of Wales, p. 60. Welsh Songs, No. 11. Brown and Moffat: Characteristic Songs, etc., p. 59.

No. 15. The Ash Grove (Llwyn On). WALES THE tune is a very old one, and bears a resemblance to the Irish air of "Kitty of Coleraine." It has also been mistaken for the old English air "Cease your funning," and thus gave rise to the erroneous impression that the Welsh air was borrowed from the English. Verses for this popular song have been written by Mrs. Hemans, Sir F. H. Doyle, and Thomas Oliphant, among others. Note that the form of this song is still the same as the two foregoing, the four-measure phrase (A) being in this case extended to eight measures.

AUTHORITIES. Boosey: Songs of Wales, p. 42. Welsh Songs, No. 17. Brown and Moffat: Characteristic Songs, etc., p. 56. Nicholson: British Songs, p. 53.

#### No. 16. Hunt the Wren. MANX

This song, the music of which seems to possess an Irish flavor, is supposed to have been sung by itinerant musicians on St. Stephen's Day, December 26. The words are selected from the Manx Society's Publications, vol. xvi.

AUTHORITY. Boosey: Manx National Songs, p. 62.

### No. 17. In our happy village (Dans notre village). Villanelle. France

PRESUMABLY a dance-tune, dating from the end of the seventeenth century, to be found in most of the French booklets (livrets) on music that appeared early in the eighteenth century, such as Les Brunettes; La Clef des Chansonniers; Le Théâtre de la foire; Noëls bourguignons. The song also appears in the Maurepas collection, and proves its popularity. The tonality is simple and definite, without any modulation, making the air easy for adoption by the people.

Du Mersan attributes the music to Jacques Lefebvre, whose collection — Meslange de Musique à Quatre Parties—is of some rarity at the present day.

Other verses have been written and sung to this air, such as —

Nous étions trois filles, Trois à marier, etc.

AUTHORITIES. Weckerlin: Chansons Populaires, vol. ii, p. 28. Berggreen: Folke-Sange og Melodier, vol. vi, p. 109, No. 13. Reimann: Internationales Volksliederbuch, vol. i, p. 14, No. 5.

No. 18. There was a little maiden (Il était un' bergère). France

A chanson de jeu, or dancing-song, much in favor with young people. Weckerlin considers that the air was developed unconsciously; the repetition of phrases serving to call up fresh ideas.

AUTHORITIES. Weckerlin: Chansons Populaires, vol. ii, p. 208. Berggreen: Folke-Sange og Melodier, vol. vi, p. 164, No. 50.

No. 19. Sing to me, sweet Musetta (O ma tendre Musette). France

In 1773, the song appeared in the Journal de Musique Historique, as a Romance by M. de la Harpe, set to the air, "Défiez-vous sans cesse," and again for the second time, but with its present title, in 1774, in L'Almanach des Muses, the music in both cases being anonymous.

Du Mersan assigns the air to Monsigny, who died in 1817.

AUTHORITIES. Weckerlin: Chansons Populaires, vol. ii, p. 310. Berggreen: Folke-Sange og Melodier, vol. vi, p. 160, No. 46.

No. 20. On the bridge of Avignon (Sur le pont d'Avignon). France

A WELL-KNOWN ronde, of undoubted early origin. So far back as 1503, a chanson, entitled, "Sur le pont d'Avignon," appeared in Odhecaton de Petrucci (Letter C, Part III), but the music is not recognizable. The French Canadians have three versions of this song, one of which is identical with the one presented here. Many versions, however, are in existence. The Countess Evelyn Martinengo-Cesaresco, in the Introduction to Essays in the Study of Folksongs, writes:

"Every one knows the famous ronde of the pont d'Avignon:

Sur le pont d'Avignon, Tout le monde y danse, danse, Sur le pont d'Avignon Tout le monde y danse en rond.

Les beaux messieurs font comme ça Sur le pont d'Avignon, etc., etc.

After the 'messieurs' who bow, come the 'demoiselles' who curtsey, the workwomen who sew, the carpenters who saw wood, the washerwomen who wash linen, and a host of other folks intent on their different callings. The song is an apt illustration of what Paul de Saint-Victor called 'cet instinct inné de l'imitation qui fait similer à l'enfant les actions viriles'—in which instinct lies the germ of the Theatre."

A. THORITIES. Weckerlin: Chansons Populaires, vol. ii, p. 217. Martinengo-Cesaresco: Study of Folksongs, Introduction, p. xxix.

No. 21. When the nighting ale shall sing (Quant li Rosignol jolis). TROUBADOURS

An early manuscript (1180–90) is to be found in the Paris National Library, and the composition of the words and music is ascribed to a brave French Knight and Troubadour, the Châtelain de Coucy, who lived towards the end of the twelfth century. His tragic fate and the unfortunate love that he bore for the beautiful wife of the Seigneur de Fayel have afforded a theme for many poets, and the Ballade of Uhland, "Der Burgvogt," is founded on this subject. It is related that he died at the Crusades, and that his heart, being embalmed, was sent to the lady of his affection. The husband intercepted the gift, however, and caused it to be served to his wife at a dinner, who is said to have eaten unsuspectingly from the gruesome dish. On being told the bitter truth, she replied, "It is true, indeed, that you have helped me to a viand which I very much loved; but it is the last I shall ever eat, as after that every food would be insipid." As she could not be prevailed on to eat again, her affliction was soon ended. This curious story is cited by Fauchet from a chronicle written about 1380 A.D., and is told at some length by Burney. Authorities. Burney: History of Music, vol. ii, p. 284. Grove: Dictionary of Music and Musicians, vol. iii, p. 586. Ambros: Geschichte der Musik, vol. ii, p. 223. Böhme: Originalgesänge von Troubadours, etc., No. 1. La Borde: Essai sur la musique ancienne et moderne (1780), vol. ii, p. 281.

No. 22. Early strolling at my leisure (L'autrier par la matinée). TROUBADOURS

This song is still preserved in the Vatican Library, and is an interesting specimen of the more popular style of the Northern Trouvères. It was written and composed by Count Thibaut of Champagne, who was afterwards King of Navarre, and dates from the thirteenth century. The verses probably relate a personal adventure during the age of chivalry. The song is generally found accompanied by an ecclesiastical four-part harmony, but the air seems to possess features similar to a light French Vaudeville, and the present accompaniment has been arranged accordingly, with the simplest harmonies, and in a form which it is hoped may suggest a suitable atmosphere.

AUTHORITIES. Burney: History of Music, vol. ii, p. 300. Grove: Dictionary of Music and Musicians, vol. iii, p. 586. Ambros: Geschichte der Musik, vol. ii, p. 227. Naumann: History of Music, vol. ii, p. 234. Rowbotham: History of Music, vol. iii, p. 593. Troubadours and Courts of Love, p. 208. Böhme: Originalgesänge von Troubadours und Minnesingern, No. 3.

No. 23. Summertime (Sommerlied). MINNE-SINGERS

This song dates from the thirteenth century, and the author was Neidhart von Reuenthal, one of the famous Minnesingers. F. von den Hagen quotes it in his *Minnesinger*, vol. iii, p. 187 (text), also vol. iv, p. 846, No. 4.

AUTHORITIES. F. von den Hagen: Minnesinger, vol. iii. p. 189. Böhme: Originalgesänge von Troubadours und Minnesingern, No. 5.

No. 24. Minstrel Song (Minnelied). MINNE-SINGERS

A strolling ballad-monger's song, dating from the early fifteenth century. It appears in the

Locheimer Liederbuch, whence it has been transcribed. This manuscript dates from 1452, and is deposited in the Library at Wernigerode.

AUTHORITIES. Locheimer Liederbuch, No. 42, p. 41 of the MS. (Vide Chrysander's Jahrbuch (vol. ii) für Musikalische Wissenschaft, p. 150.) Böhme: Originalgesänge von Troubadours und Minnesingern, No. 10. Berggreen: Folke-Sange og Melodier, vol. v, No. 3.

No. 25. Annie of Tharau (Aennchen von Tharau). GERMANY

ATTRIBUTED to Simon Dach (1638). A translation into German was made by Herder (1788) from the original dialect. The melody is by Friedrich Silcher, and dates from 1825. This composer seems to have caught the true spirit of German folksong, and he is the author of many of the most popular tunes.

AUTHORITIES. Peters: Volksliederbuch, No. 2, p. 4; Liederschatz, No. 2. Härtel: Liederlexikon, No. 19. Fink: Musikalischer Hausschatz, No. 136. Augener: Volkslieder, p. 11. Erk: Deutsches Liederschatz, No.4.

No. 26. O thou dearest maiden mine (O du lieber Augustin). GERMANY

A FOLKSONG dating from 1799, and evidently belonging to the type of song that owes its origin to the dance (Tanzweise). Many dances were and are still often accompanied by singing, the words bearing no particular import. In this instance it is presumed that the men sang the first section and the girls the second.

AUTHORITIES. Peters: Volksliederbuch, No. 53; Liederschatz, No. 29. Fink: Musikalischer Hausschatz, No. 181. Erk: Deutscher Liederschatz, No. 83.

No. 27. True Love (Treue Liebe). GERMANY A THURINGIAN folksong, which has served as a hymn-tune in England and other countries. The verses have been adapted from the original by Helmine von Chézy, in which form it has attained its present popularity. The words were formerly sung to another melody,



but this seems to have grown out of favor, and the present version finds more general acceptance. AUTHORITIES. Peters: Volksliederbuch, No. 1; Liederschatz, No. 1. Augener: Volkslieder, No. 1. Härtel: Liederlexikon, No. 16. Boosey: Songs of Germany, p. 22. Fink: Musikalischer Hausschatz, No. 90. Erk: Deutscher Liederschatz, No. 3. Brown and Moffat: Characteristic Songs, etc., p. 91.

No. 28. The Loreley (Die Lorelei). GERMANY HEINE's wonderful poem has been provided with many musical settings, the greatest achievement being that of Liszt. It was Silcher's lot, however, to successfully diagnose the public pulse, and since 1837, his version has been without rival in the popular fancy. The melody is thoroughly German, and contains the true elements of the Volkslied.

AUTHORITIES. Härtel: Liederlexikon, No. 395. Peters: Volksliederbuch, No. 37; Liederschatz, No. 60. Erk: Deutscher Liederschatz, No. 61. Fink: Musikalischer Hausschatz, No. 821. Augener: Volkslieder, p. 24. Boosey: Songs of Germany, p. 10.

No. 29. Must I go (Muss i denn). GERMANY A SWABIAN Volkslied in the original dialect, dating from 1825, when it was adapted to an earlier version, of which few traces remain. An interesting feature in this song is the odd (fifth) measure, which completes the first section. The most usual form is the four-measure phrase, and three-measure phrases are not uncommon, especially in Hungary.

AUTHORITIES. Härtel: Liederlexikon, No. 537. Fink: Musikalischer Hausschatz, No. 76. Peters: Volksliederbuch, No. 50; Liederschatz, No. 77. Augener: Volkslieder, p. 34. Boosey: Songs of Germany, p. 113. Erk: Deutscher Liederschatz, No. 79.

### No. 30. The Broken Ring (Das zerbrochene Ringlein). GERMANY

THESE verses by the poet Eichendorff (1812) were adapted to a melody by Friedrich Glück in 1814. Little is known of the composer, except that he was a student at the University of Tübingen, became a parson, and died in 1841. An arrangement of this melody was made by Silcher, in common-time measure (vide Härtel's Liederlexikon), but it is less satisfactory than the present version in  $\frac{6}{8}$  time.

AUTHORITIES. Härtel: Liederlexikon, No. 425. Fink: Musikalischer Hausschatz, No. 189. Peters: Volksliederbuch, No. 41; Liederschatz, No. 66. Erk: Deutscher Liederschatz, No. 65. Augener: Volkslieder, p. 28. Boosey: Songs of Germany, p. 18.

No. 31. All's the same to me ('Sist mir Alles Eins). GERMANY

ATTRIBUTED to Joh. Fuss (1819), and in the form of the German Ländler, a popular dance measure.

AUTHORITIES. Härtel: Liederlexikon, No. 703. Fink: Musikalischer Hausschatz, No. 43. Peters: Volksliederbuch, No. 61; Liederschatz, No. 88. Erk: Deutscher Liederschatz, No. 93. Boosey: Songs of Germany, p. 48.

No. 32. Farewell (Lebewohl). GERMANY An old folksong, dating from 1690. It is to be found in Brentano's Des Knaben Wunderhorn (1808). Silcher took it in hand in 1827, and is responsible for the present version, in which form it has enjoyed a wide popularity. The melody is highly expressive and thoroughly German in character, while the construction is of the simplest.

AUTHORITIES. Härtel: Liederlexikon, No. 534. Fink: Musikalischer Hausschatz, No. 162. Peters: Volksliederbuch, No. 49; Liederschatz, No. 76. Erk: Deutscher Liederschatz, No. 78. Augener: Volkslieder, p. 36. Boosey: Songs of Germany, p. 168.

No. 33. In cellar cool (Im kühlen Keller). Germany

A favorite drinking-song, and it might be said, almost universally known. The words are by Carl Müchler (1802), and the music is attributed to Ludwig Fischer, first bass at the Berlin Opera, who died in 1825. It was evidently composed to suit a voice of exceptional register, the skips being somewhat remarkable even in these days. Many variants exist, but the present version aims at presenting the original as far as possible.

AUTHORITIES. Härtel: Liederlexikon, No. 413. Fink: Musikalischer Hausschatz, No. 743. Peters: Liederschatz, No. 181. Erk: Deutscher Liederschatz, No. 190. Boosey: Songs of Germany, p. 186.

No. 34. O faithful pine (O Tannenbaum). GERMANY

ADAPTED from a Westphalian Volkslied in 1819 by August Zarnack, to whom we are indebted for the present popular version. The older form of the song is as follows:



AUTHORITIES. Härtel: Liederlexikon, No. 588. Peters: Volksliederbuch, No. 54; Liederschatz, No. 80. Fink: Musikalischer Hausschatz, No. 240. Erk: Deutscher Liederschatz, No. 84. Augener: Volkslieder, p. 38. Boosey: Songs of Germany, p. 16. Berggreen: Folke-Sange og Melodier, vol. v, No. 50. Reisserscheid: Westfälische Volkslieder, No. 24.

### No. 35. The Hostess' Daughter (Der Wirthin Töchterlein). GERMANY

An old folk-melody of the eighteenth century, which was adapted as a setting to Uhland's poem about 1820. The concluding section of the melody appears to lack four additional measures, in order to preserve a satisfactory balance.

AUTHORITIES. Härtel: Liederlexikon, No. 267. Fink: Musikalischer Hausschatz, No. 97. Peters: Volksliederbuch, No. 25; Liederschatz, No. 40. Erk: Deutscher Liederschatz, No. 43. Augener: Volkslieder, p. 18. Boosey: Songs of Germany, p. 49.

No. 36. From these dear mountains (Von meinem Bergli). Abschied vom Dirndel. SWITZERLAND

Dating from about 1839. Jodel (or Yodel), a refrain to the songs that are indigenous to the Alpine regions of Switzerland and the Tyrol. It is produced by a clear and pure falsetto, and is carefully cultivated by the natives, most of whom have fresh and powerful voices. The range of these melodies is often very extensive, proceeding at times to the utmost compass of the vocal organs. In jodeling, the break between the chest and head notes needs to be specially emphasized, the idea being quite contrary to our notions of voice-training, where the attempt is made to conceal the break as far as possible. The syllables

used in jodeling are founded on the vowel-sounds of the German alphabet.

AUTHORITIES. Härtel: Liederlexikon, No. 825. Peters. Volksliederbuch, No. 71. Erk: Deutscher Liederschatz, No. 107. Peters: Liederschatz, No. 103.

No. 37. In Aargau dwelt two sweethearts. The Home-Coming. (Im Aergäu sind zweu Liebi.)
Die Heimkehr. Switzerland

Note the absence of the leading-note in the melody, and the close on the third of the key. There is no skip beyond the interval of a third, and the notes all hang closely together, evidence of a primitive type of melody. The form is extremely simple, and the harmonization seems to call only for the chords of the tonic and dominant.

AUTHORITIES. Härtel: Liederlexikon, No. 405. Berggreen: Folke-Sange og Melodier, vol. v, p. 153, No. 136.

#### No. 38. Wooing (Werbung). Austria

THE air is here presented in the original dialect, and it will be seen that it bears a close resemblance to the melodies of the Tyrol. The waltz rhythm is a peculiar characteristic of all Austrian songs.

AUTHORITIES. Härtel: Liederlexikon, No. 961. Berggreen: Folke-Sange og Melodier, vol. v, p. 121, No. 111. Boosey: Songs of Eastern Europe, p. 8.

No. 39. Tyrolese are blithesome (Tyroler sind lustig). Tyrol

THE music of the Tyrol is distinguished by its florid character, in addition to the Jodel, to which reference has already been made. The above song appears in an operetta, entitled *Der Tyroler Wastl*, by Jacob Haibel, produced in 1795.

AUTHORITIES. Härtel: Liederlexikon, No. 768. Fink: Musikalischer Hausschatz, No. 154. Peters: Volksliederbuch, No. 67; Liederschatz, No. 95. Erk: Deutscher Liederschatz, No. 99. Brown and Moffat: Characteristic Songs, etc., p. 65.

No. 40. On the Alma (Auf der Alma). Tyrol A Typical Tyrolean song, including the Jodel refrain, regarding which see Note 36, above. The

insistence of the rhythm gives a powerful swing to the melody, and seems to portray the freedom of the mountain life. There is a careless *abandon* about the song, showing a marked contrast to the more melancholy *Lieder* of the plain.

AUTHORITIES. Härtel: Liederlexikon, No. 80. Boosey: Songs of Eastern Europe, p. 34.

### No. 41. From the mountain's height (Hoch vom Dachstein). Styria

Adapted by Carl Seydler in 1844 from the original poem by Jacob Dirnböck. The various versions differ as to the beginning of the melody, and the rhythm is not always found to be the same. Thus:

\$ PANA DE

For this reason it has been thought advisable to give the two different endings in the text, either

of which may be preferred.

AUTHORITIES. Härtel: Liederlexikon, No. 333. Fink: Musikalischer Hausschatz, No. 436. Peters: Volksliederbuch, No. 33; Liederschatz, No. 52. Erk: Deutscher Liederschatz, No. 54. Berggreen: Folke-Sange og Melodier, vol. v, p. 146, No. 131. Augener: Volkslieder,

### No. 42. Hungaria's Treasure (Magasan repül a daru). Hungary

A song of strong rhythmic character, composed of four-measure phrases, with the exception of the final period, which includes an extra measure. The shortened first note (like the Scotch snap) is very prominent, occurring generally on the third beat of the measure, instead of the first, as is often the case. It should be noted that the songs are nearly always sung in unison or in octaves. Authorities. Füredi: Magyar Népdal, p. 22, No. 22. Reimann: Internationales Volksliederbuch, vol. iii, p. 70, No. 97. Brown and Moffat: Characteristic Songs, etc., p. 70.

### No. 43. Váradi's Highways (Seprik a Váradi utczat). Hungary

THE melody, attributed to Stephan Bartalus, is in the minor key, containing an augmented interval between the third and fourth degrees of the scale. The three-measure phrase is also predominant, with two two-measure phrases in the middle section. The peculiar melancholic strain, so marked in this song, is characteristic of many Hungarian melodies, the origin of which is to be traced in most Oriental music.

AUTHORITIES. Füredi: Magyar Népdal, p. 49, No. 51. Reimann: Internationales Volksliederbuch, vol. i, p. 82, No. 33. Berggreen: Folke-Sange og Melodier, vol. ix, p. 120, No. 37a.

#### No. 44. The Treasure (Wšak nám tak, nebude). Bohemia

A song and dance measure combined. It is interesting to note that Beethoven has made use of the opening phrase in the *Scherzo* of his Trio, Op. 97.

AUTHORITIES. Reimann: Internationales Volksliederbuch, vol. ii, p. 65, No. 60. Brown and Moffat: Characteristic Songs, etc., p. 67. Cp. also Berggreen: Folke-Sange og Melodier, vol. viii, p. 111, No. 43.

### No. 45. Where'er man ranges (Waer dat men sich). Netherlands

An old Dutch battle-song (Siegeslied), dating from 1616, which formed part of the collection made by Adrianus Valerius in 1626. The song is remarkable for its vigor and energy, and may well have inspired all true patriots to arm and fight for the deliverance of their country from the Spanish yoke.

AUTHORITIES. Reimann: Internationales Volksliederbuch, vol. iii, p. 7, No. 69. Röntgen: Altniederländische Volkslieder, No. 2.

#### No. 46. Rosa. Netherlands

A FLEMISH dance-tune very popular with the young people, and similar in style to many of the singing games played by the children in England.

AUTHORITIES. Coussemaker: Chants Populaires des Flamands, No. 107. Reimann: Internationales Volksliederbuch, vol. ii, p. 8, No. 38. Brown and Moffat: Characteristic Songs, etc., p. 137. Cp. also Berggreen: Folke-Sange og Melodier, vol. vi, p. 61, No. 38.

### No. 47. The Fair Maid of Sorrento (La Vera Sorrentina). ITALY [NAPLES]

This Canzone is still popular among the Neapolitans, and has survived the test of oral transmission through many generations. The six-eight rhythm is a characteristic feature of Italian folkmusic, which mirrors through its medium the light-hearted gaiety of the race. The Canti Popolari are rarely sung in parts, though occasionally an underpart may be added to the melody in thirds. The accompaniments, too, are extremely simple, being generally adapted for guitars, mandolines, and accordions; the consequence of which is an excessive use of the chord of the dominant seventh alternating with that of the tonic. The songs are principally made up of four-measure phrases, with frequent repetitions.

AUTHORITIES. Ricordi: Canzoni popolari Napolitane, vol. i, p. 61, No. 25. Boosey: Songs of Italy, p. 70. Reimann: Internationales Volksliederbuch, vol. ii, p. 21, No. 43.

### No. 48. Oh, come to me (La Ricciolella). ITALY [NAPLES]

This tune is familiar to many as the "Carnival of Venice," and there is also a current Dutch version, dealing with "The Dutchman and his Doggie." The melody appears to have been a great favorite, and its services have been utilized by both Rossini and Liszt. Its construction is simple though varied, and thus escapes the monotony of a too rigid sequence, or repetition of the four-measure phrase. The song, which dates from the end of the eighteenth century, was adapted by Moore, and published in his National Airs in 1818.

AUTHORITIES. Ricordi: Canzoni popolari Napolitane, vol. i, p. 2, No. 1. Berggreen: Folke-Sange og Melodier, vol. vii, p. 80, No. 62. Brown and Moffat: Characteristic Songs, etc., p. 126.

### No. 49. Santa Lucia (Barcarolle). ITALY [NAPLES]

A "BOAT-SONG" in the style of the songs of the Venetian gondoliers, and probably intended to illustrate the idea of the rise and fall of the boat on the water, or the regular strokes of the oar. In the present case the melody is made up of a series of graceful fluctuations, which bear witness to the intended imagery; the sequence of two-measure phrases produces a monotonous ef-

fect, suggesting the forward and backward sweep of the oar.

AUTHORITIES. Ricordi: Canzoni popolari Napolitane, vol. i, p. 63, No. 26. Boosey: Songs of Italy, p. 66. Berggreen: Folke-Sange og Melodier, vol. vii, p. 106, No. 81.

No. 50. So this is sad love's ending (Forsi pirchi nun m' ami). Siciliana. Sicily

A song and dance rhythm in  $\frac{6}{8}$  or  $\frac{12}{8}$  time. It is supposed to have originated in Sicily, whence it derives its name, and where it is a popular dance-song at the present day. In some respects it is analogous to the Tuscan *rispetti*. Although of a pastoral character, the music is generally in a minor key. In the present instance the song ends in the minor, but commences in the major. Authorities. *Reimann*: Internationales Volksliederbuch, vol. i, p. 24, No. 10. *Berggreen*: Folke-Sange og Melodier, vol. vii, p. 74, No. 57. *Brown and Moffat*: Characteristic Songs, etc., p. 127.

### No. 51. Unto a poor blind lover (A un niño ciegocito). Bolero. Spain

A strongly accented dance rhythm of a lively character, the peculiar figure of which arose from the castanets, which were used as an accompaniment to the dance by the dancers themselves. The bolero generally consists of two parts, each of which is repeated, and a trio. The Eastern element is clearly discernible, due no doubt to Arabian influences at the time of the Moorish occupation. The castanets form an indispensable adjunct to the accompaniment of guitar and mandoline.

AUTHORITIES. Reimann: Internationales Volksliederbuch, vol. ii, p. 35, No. 47. Berggreen: Folke-Sange og Melodier, vol. vii, p. 166, No. 16.

No. 52. If 'tis sorrow so to love thee (Yo m'alegro de habèr sido). Seguidilla. SPAIN In Spain most of the popular songs are sung as accompaniments to dances. The seguidilla, like the bolero, belongs to the provinces of Galicia and Old Castile, but in other respects it presents many differences. It is generally found in  $\frac{3}{4}$  or  $\frac{3}{8}$  time, and is usually in the minor key. The

rhythm is marked and striking, and should be accented. The mandoline and guitar are the accompanying instruments, though occasionally a violin and a flute may be added. The vocal parts are sung in octaves and in unison, and often, as in the present instance, in thirds.

AUTHORITIES. Reimann: Internationales Volksliederbuch, vol. ii, p. 30, No. 46. Berggreen: Folke-Sange og Melodier, vol. vii, p. 170, No. 18. Breitkopf & Härtel: Volksliederbuch (Gervinus), p. 94, No. 78.

No. 53. May Song (Cancion de Maja). Spain An Andalusian Spring Song (Song of May) from the south of Spain, which is also the home of the fandangos, rondeñas, and malagueñas. The Eastern element is noticeable in the use of ornaments and grace notes, and by the combination of two or more marked and varied rhythms at the same time. The songs are sung gutturally—another peculiarity of Eastern music,—and are rendered in a dreamy, melancholy, or passionate manner, as the occasion or the nature of the song demands. Authorities. Reimann: Internationales Volksliederbuch, vol. iii, p. 20, No. 76. Berggreen: Folke-Sange og Melodier, vol. vii, p. 154, No. 10

No. 54. Song of the Fig-tree Orchara (Canção do Figueiral). Portugal

This is one of the most ancient traditional songs of Portugal, and its origin is attributed to the Troubadours. The music appeared in a MS. collection of songs of the fifteenth century, belonging to Francisco Coutinho, Count of Marialva, and was thence transcribed by Mariano Soriano Fuertes in his *History of Music in Spain*.' Allusion is also made to this song by Miguel Leitão de Andrada, in his *Miscellanea*.

AUTHORITY. Cancioneiro de Musicas Populares (Braga), F. 1, No. 2.

No. 55. Wherefore have thy lips (Modinha). Portugal

A LARGE number of popular melodies called tonos—a kind of carol—used to be sung at Christmas and during processions, and were composed by musicians of repute. Out of these composi-

tions arose the *Modinha*, so prevalent during the eighteenth century, and which bear some resemblance to the German *Lied*.

AUTHORITIES. Reimann: Internationales Volksliederbuch, vol. i, p. 38, No. 14. Berggreen: Folke-Sange og Melodier, vol. vii, p. 222, No. 6.

No. 56. I wander through woodlands (Gaaer jeg udi skoven). DENMARK

The songs of Denmark, Norway, and Sweden are closely related in origin and expression, and in the older examples are devoted chiefly to the narration of the ballads and legends of Scandinavia, which are thus distinguished from the purely lyrical songs of a later date. The wealth of songs in Jutland is said to be such that the same one is not allowed to be sung at musical gatherings more than once a year. The present number may be taken as a typical example of a popular folktune, and it is not improbable that the definite rhythm may have served as the basis for a dance with song accompaniment also.

AUTHORITIES. Berggreen: Danske Folke-Sange og Melodier, vol. i, p. 205, No. 112. Reimann: Internationales Volksliederbuch, vol. iii, p. 34, No. 81.

No. 57. Marstig's Daughter (Marsk Stigs Døttre). Denmark

One of the heroic ballads known as Kämpeviser, owing to the free and declamatory style in which they are sung. The real melody is reserved for, and appears only in, the Omkväd, or refrain, which occurs sometimes in the middle as well as at the end of each verse. There is a note of mingled wildness and melancholy in the music, that is a characteristic feature of many of these old Scandinavian ballads. Berggreen gives thirty-four verses, a truly formidable number, but the ballad adapted by Moffat from Jamieson's Popular Heroic and Romantic Ballads (1814) appears to act as a satisfactory substitute for a complete English translation of the original. According to Grove, the affinity between Danish songs and those of the British Isles is remarkable, many of the tunes being almost identical, while the words are often related to the same subject.

<sup>&#</sup>x27; Historia de la Musica en Hespaña.

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AUTHORITIES. Berggreen: Danske Folke-Sange og Melodier, vol. i, p. 115, No. 57. Brown and Moffat: Characteristic Songs, etc., p. 163.

No. 58. Bravely sails my bark (Tölf Synir). ICELAND

THE prevailing characteristics of Icelandic songs seem to consist of

- 1. A simple construction of two-measure or three-measure phrases.
  - 2. A frequent repetition of the first note.
  - 3. An expression of sadness or melancholy.

The tunes are few in number, Berggreen giving only nine examples, and many of these are similar in melody, tonality, and character.

#### Compare



As will be seen from these examples, some of the songs are sung by a solo voice, with a chorus taking up the *Omkväd* in the middle of the verse as well as at the close.

AUTHORITIES. Berggreen: Danske Folke-Sange og Melodier, vol. i, p. 344, No. 3 (Islandske). Brown and Moffat: Characteristic Songs, etc., p. 165.

No. 59. I laid me down to rest (Jeg lagde mig saa silde). Norway

A MELODY from the district of Gudbrandsdal, the refrain of which is sung by a chorus at the end of each verse. This is a typical example of a Norwegian folk-song, the characteristic features of which are easily recognized. It will be noticed that the major seventh is used in ascending passages, and the minor seventh in descending. The Norwegian composer, Grieg, has undoubtedly made a free use of his native melodies, and a comparison between the present song and his well-known Solveig's Song will afford interest to many.

AUTHORITY. Berggreen: Norske Folke-Sange og Melodier, vol. ii, p. 29, No. 25.

No. 60. Homeward from the mountains (Hjemreise fra Saeteren). Norway

A Norwegian Shepherd's Song. These herdsmen's songs form an important section of Scandinavian music. They are all very similar in character, and apparently of great age. The melodies are usually formed on the natural notes of the Lur (cow-horn), which is used for summoning the cattle home at evening.

AUTHORITIES. Berggreen: Norske Folke-Sange og Melodier, vol. ii, p. 62, No. 55a. Reimann: Internationales Volksliederbuch, vol. i, p. 56, No. 20.

No. 61. Dearest Maiden (Kau fra Halling-dalen). Norway

ANOTHER Shepherd's Song, with a suggestive dance rhythm. The herdsman is here calling his cattle by name, and at the same time bestowing endearing epithets on each.

AUTHORITIES. Berggreen: Norske Folke-Sange og Melodier, vol. ii, p. 92, No. 78. Reimann: Internationales Volksliederbuch, vol. iii, p. 38, No. 82.

No. 62. Little Katie (Liten Karin). SWEDEN A POPULAR ancient ballad and melody from the west of Gothland. The music bears a striking resemblance in tonality, form, and expression to the Danish song, "Den talende straengaleg" (vide Berggreen: Danske Folke-Sange og Melodier, vol. i, p. 78, No. 33a). The gradual rise and fall of the melody is characteristic of most Swedish songs.

AUTHORITIES. Berggreen: Svenske Folke-Sange og Melodier, vol. iii, p. 21, No. 15. Lundquist: Swedish National Songs, p. 10. Boosey: Songs of Scandinavia, p. 116.

No. 63. Wermeland (Vermeland). SWEDEN This song possesses the same characteristic rise and fall of the melody as the previous example, while the seventh becomes major or minor as the passage ascends or descends, a noticeable feature in many Scandinavian, and especially Norwegian songs. Wermeland is a province in Sweden, north of Gothland, and on the borders of Norway.

AUTHORITIES. Berggreen: Svenske Folke-Sange og Melodier, vol. iii, p. 73, No. 57. Lundquist: Swedish National Songs, p. 16.

No. 64. On a crystal throne (Necken's Polska). Sweden

A song of strongly marked and suggestive dance rhythm, which possesses characteristics similar to those in the two preceding examples.

AUTHORITIES. Berggreen: Svenske Folke-Sange og Melodier, vol. iii, p. 74, No. 58. Lundquist: Swedish National Songs, p. 4. Reimann: Internationales Volksliederbuch, vol. iii, p. 44, No. 84.

No. 65. Over fields and over meadows (Vo polé tuman zatumanelsya). Russia

A POPULAR Russian song from the district of Smolensk, affording a good example of the variety of rhythm contained in the melody. The harmony is of meagre description, and always subordinate to the melody, which is of primary importance. Rimsky-Korsakov has introduced this tune with effect in the first movement of his Symphonietta for Orchestra, Op. 31.

AUTHORITY. N. Rimsky-Korsakov: Chants Nationaux Russes, p. 24, No. 12.

No. 66. O'er the distant mountains (Dalekaya i blezkaya). Russia

A song from the district known as Little Russia. It consists of a four-measure melodic phrase in the minor key, and may be sung to an accompaniment of varying harmonies according to the Russian custom.

AUTHORITIES. Reimann: Internationales Volksliederbuch, vol. iii, p. 62, No. 93. Berggreen: Slaviske Folke-Sange og Melodier, vol. viii, p. 58, No. 52.

No. 67. In the shade of the garden (Kak po sadēku). Russia

A Russian air from the province of Novgorod, which has been introduced by Rimsky-Korsakov in the first movement of his Symphonietta. Although it only consists of six measures, the germ of the song is contained in the first two measures, which are repeated with slight variations. The song ends on the dominant, and may be harmonized in a variety of ways.

AUTHORITY. N. Rimsky-Korsakov: Chants Nationaux Russes, p. 78, No. 79.

No. 68. 'Neath the shadow of a tree (Chanson des Rues). Russia

FROM the district of Kolomna in the government of Moscow. This popular street-song will be familiar to all who are acquainted with Tchaï-kovski's Serenade (Op. 48) for strings, where it appears as the principal subject in the last movement. It is similar in character to many of the songs found in other parts of Russia, notably



and



both of which examples are quoted in *Paisne russ-kavo naroda*, St. Petersburg, 1894.

AUTHORITY. Balakirev: Recueil de Chants populaires Russes, p. 42, No. 29.

No. 69. Ah! see the old pear-tree (Zelena grusha). Russia

An interesting example in  $\frac{5}{4}$  and  $\frac{6}{4}$  time from the province of Saratov. With the exception of one chord, the melody can be harmonized by alternate chords of the tonic and subdominant. Like the foregoing, this air makes its appearance in the Symphonietta already mentioned.

AUTHORITY. N. Rimsky-Korsakov: Chants Nationaux Russes, p. 70, No. 75.

No. 70. Come and twine the slim boughs (Zaplaitesya plaiten). Russia

A song from the district of Orloff. The initial phrase of four measures is twice repeated, and is followed by a three-measure phrase repeated three times. The form is unusual, though the effect is less disconcerting than might be expected. Authority. N. Rimsky-Korsakov: Chants Nationaux Russes, p. 18, No. 49.

No. 71. Dearest maiden, hark (Krakowiak). Poland

A Polish song and dance from the town and neighborhood of Krakow (Krakau), whence it

derives its name. It is written in  $\frac{2}{4}$  time, and examples are found in the minor as well as in the major key.

AUTHORITIES. Reimann: Internationales Volksliederbuch, vol. i, No. 29, p. 74. Berggreen: Slaviske Folke-Sange og Melodier, vol. viii, p. 18, No. 14. Boosey: Songs of Scandinavia, p. 60.

No. 72. Little cottage lowly (Mazurek). Po-

A Polish national dance, dating from the sixteenth century. The mazurka originated in the songs which were sung to accompany dancing, and belongs especially to the people, differing in this respect from the stately polonaise, which appeared as a court dance about the same time. Chopin has so transformed and idealized the mazurka, that, except for the rhythm, little of the spirit of the original dance remains. The major key appears to predominate, though at the present day we are apt to associate all Polish music with the minor key. The mazurka frequently is found with the following pronounced rhythm, but in this form is probably of a more modern date:



Cp. Chopin's Mazurka, Op. 7, No. 1.

AUTHORITY. Berggreen: Slaviske Folke-Sange og Melodier, vol. viii, p. 9, No. 5.

No. 73. Home my sweetheart comes (Runo-laulu). Finland

A Rune-Song, or ballad, in which the air is adapted to a form of extemporaneous singing, a popular amusement among Northern people. According to Billson (Popular Poetry of the Finns), "the Finnish method of singing their songs is very archaic. They are, or were, accompanied by a kind of dulcimer, called the kantele, an instrument which originally contained five strings, made first of horsehair, and afterwards of metal. The old melody which formed the usual accompaniment of the songs is founded in G minor, and does not go higher than D," etc.

To this melody, and its variations, the Kale-

vala, the national Epic of the Finns, is often sung, in addition to the extemporaneous singing already noted. The rhythm is peculiar, a fondness for  $\frac{5}{4}$  and  $\frac{7}{4}$  time being a special characteristic in this music. Another example of a Rune-Song in  $\frac{5}{4}$  may be quoted:



The harmony and form of accompaniment to the present example may be varied at will, according to the manner indicated in the text.

AUTHORITIES. Berggreen: Folke-Sange og Melodier, vol. ix, p. 28, No. 4. Reimann: Internationales Volksliederbuch, vol. ii, p. 60, No. 56. Billson: The Popular Poetry of the Finns, p. 5. Boosey: Songs of Scandinavia, p. 63. Grove: Dictionary of Music and Musicians, vol. iii, p. 609 (Song).

No. 74. There's ne'er a blossom (Laulu Lapista). LAPLAND

THE present melody bears a striking resemblance to the old Irish air "The Red Fox," better known as "Let Erin remember," the rhythm and actual notes being almost identical:



and there can be little doubt as to which is the earlier and original version. The influence of Scandinavia is very perceptible in many of the Celtic songs ascribed to the Northern districts of the British Isles, and with the advent of the Vikings, we must associate the introduction of their arts.

AUTHORITIES. Reimann: Internationales Volksliederbuch, vol. iii, p. 54, No. 88. Berggreen: Folke-Sange og Melodier, vol. ix, p. 70, No. 41. Brown and Moffat: Characteristic Songs, etc., p. 148.

No. 75. From afar returns my well-belove..' (Daina). LITHUANIA

Daina is the Lithuanian name for a secular song, as opposed to sacred songs, which are known as Gésme. The construction and rhythm are alike simple. The song often consists of two or four-measure phrases with frequent repetitions, and is easily adapted for dancing purposes.

AUTHORITIES. Berggreen: Folke-Sange og Melodier, vol. ix, p. 14, No. 11. Reimann: Internationales Volksliederbuch, vol. iii, p. 66, No. 95. Brown and Moffat: Characteristic Songs, etc., p. 150.

No. 76. Why so silent, tell me, birdie (Paun i kolo). Bosnia

THE Bosnian Kola is in the form of a song and dance combined, in which the dancers attempt to illustrate the text by pantomimic gestures and movements. A literal translation of the original would be somewhat as follows:

The peacock pecks,
The grass grows,
My peacock, etc.
My peacock's feet hurt him,
My peacock's eyes hurt him,
My peacock, etc.
My peacock's feet hurt him,
My peacock's eyes hurt him,
My peacock's eyes hurt him,
My peacock, etc.
My peacock raises his wings to fly.

AUTHORITIES. Kuhač: Južno-Slovjenske Narodne Popievke, vol. iii, p. 200, Nos. 1007–8. Reimann: Internationales Volksliederbuch, vol. iii, p. 76, No. 99.

No. 77. Come, my dearest (Pjesma). Servia The number of Servian songs is great, and they are remarkable for their melodious character, as well as for the peculiarity of ending on the supertonic. As a rule the key is minor, particularly in songs of a sentimental nature, but many of the dancing songs are found in the major, and these possess taking and lively rhythms. The air of the present song will be familiar to those who are acquainted with Tchaïkovski's Marche Slav, where it appears as the principal theme.

AUTHORITY. Kuhač: Južno-Slovjenske Narodne Popievke, vol. ii, p. 159, No. 606.

No. 78. The Outlaw (Tri Godini). BULGARIA THE Bulgarian songs are closely allied in sentiment and character with those of Servia. They are generally in the minor key, and the melody usually ends on the supertonic. A deep melancholy seems to pervade most of the love-songs of the great South-Slav family.

AUTHORITIES. Kuhač: Južno-Slovjenske Narodne Po-

pievke, vol. ii, p. 109, No. 539. Reimann: Internationales Volksliederbuch, vol. iii, p. 77, No. 100. Brown and Moffat: Characteristic Songs, etc., p. 111.

No. 79. The sun hangs high (Charki hidjaz). Turkey

Turkish music, in common with that of most Oriental races, can scarcely be rendered correctly by our present system of musical notation. It is possible to attain only an approximate effect. The characteristics that are more perceptible to European ears consist of the frequent use of the interval of an augmented second, the variety of rhythm, and the poverty of the harmony. By harmony must be understood a combination of rhythms rather than notes. In singing, the notes are run one into another, a definite tone being hardly discernible, and as a rule, the vocal syllables are extended to include several notes. A strong nasal inflection should be used by the vocalist who desires to render the music so as to produce as near as possible the original effect.

The present song is taken from a collection of *Mélodies Turques Choisis* (No. 4), edited by S. Hoosépian, and published at Constantinople.

No. 80. The Musician ('O Μουσικός). GREECE A GRECIAN folksong, attributed to Athanasios Christopulos, who was born in 1770. Although written in the minor key, the song is of a jovial and jesting character, and exhibits a curious blend of the Eastern and Western ideas of music.

AUTHORITIES. Berggreen: Folke-Sange og Melodier, vol. ix, p. 170, No. 20. Reimann: Internationales Volksliederbuch, vol. ii, p. 76, No. 67.

No. 81. Sleep, my child (Ainte). Syria

THE present song has been transcribed exactly as it stands in Bourgault-Ducoudray's excellent collection, Mélodies Populaires de Grèce et d'Orient. The accompaniment is thoroughly in keeping with the atmosphere, and evidently approaches as near as is possible in our Western notation to the original effect. The air appears to have been heard and noted down in Smyrna.

AUTHORITY. L. A. Bourgault-Ducoudray: Mélodies Populaires de Grèce et d'Orient, No. 1.

No. 82. Upon thy lovely lips (Charō). Syria Another song from the same series as the preceding, and from the neighborhood of Smyrna. A curious feature about this song is the repetition of two short phrases, both of which possess a different tonality,—thus the BÞ in the first phrase and its repetition becomes B‡ in the second half. The original accompaniment has been retained, for it would be difficult to suggest a more natural or agreeable form.

AUTHORITY. L. A. Bourgault-Ducoudray: Mélodies Populaires de Grèce et d'Orient, No. 4.

#### No. 83. Zohra. Morocco

A song of the Kabyles, transcribed by Salvador Daniel, whose monograph La Musique Arabe may be regarded as one of the most reliable authorities on the subject. The accompaniment conveys a striking impression of reality, by preserving the monotonous and complicated rnythms so peculiar to Eastern music. The Kabyles are descendants of the original inhabitants of Mauritania, and are not to be confounded with either the Moors or the genuine Arabs. Their songs, however, bear close analogy to those of the Asiatic and Egyptian Arabs, both in construction and sentiment, and the present example, according to Fétis, belongs to the Mode l'hsain.

AUTHORITIES. Daniel: Chansons Arabes, Mauresques et Kabyles, p. 26, No. 8. Fetis: Histoire Générale de la Musique, vol. ii, p. 89. Berggreen: Folke-Sange og Melodier, vol. x, p. 24, No. 33.

No. 84. My Beloved (Ma Gazelle). A GERIA THIS Moorish song perhaps represents more faithfully than any other available transcription the poetry, the plaintive melancholy, and the languorous sweetness of a typical Eastern song. The melody appears to have found its way into Spain during the occupation by the Moors. The arrangement has been selected from the excellent collection of Chansons Arabes by Salvador Daniel, who has succeeded so admirably in depicting the essential features of local color and atmosphere in his accompaniments. The French text is a translation and imitation of an Arabian kasidah (song), and is attributed to M. V. Bérard.

AUTHORITIES. Daniel: Chansons Arabes, Mauresques et Kabyles, p. 28, No. 9. Fétis: Histoire Générale de la Musique, vol. ii, p. 82. Rowbotham: History of Music, vol. iii, p. 576.

#### No. 85. Soleima. Tunis

A Moorish song from the collection of Salvador Daniel. According to Fétis, "the melodies of Moorish songs are less agreeable to the ear than those of the Asiatic or Egyptian Arabs, but they possess a captivating originality." The dominant usually supersedes the tonic as the final note, as will be observed in the present example. The melody belongs to the *Mode Zeidan*.

AUTHORITIES. Daniel: Chansons Arabes, Mauresques et Kabyles, p. 34, No. 12. Fétis: Histoire Générale de la Musique, vol. ii, p. 80.

#### No. 86. Stamboul. TRIPOLI

A Kabyle song from the collection of Salvador Daniel. In measures 8-9-10, the bass note G has been altered to A, the original note appearing to produce too consonant an effect. The song is attributed to Si Mohammed Said Ben Ali Cherif, a chief of the Beni Aïdel. The tonality of the song is indefinite, and cannot very well be said to belong to any particular key familiar to Western ears.

AUTHORITY. Daniel: Chansons Arabes, Mauresques et Kabyles, p. 24, No. 7.

No. 87. Love-Song (Doos yá lellee). EGYPT A POPULAR Egyptian melody introduced and utilized by Felicien David in the Second Part of his Symphonic Ode The Desert. It should be stated that the airs are not always sung to the same words, the latter often abounding in indecent allusions. Distinct enunciation and a tremulous voice are characteristics of the Egyptian mode of singing, as well as of that of most other Oriental races. The metres of the original text as well as of the translation are irregular, and should be adapted by the singer to the requirements of the melody, adding or omitting notes as may be deemed necessary. Fétis states that the melody belongs to the Mode o'chak.

AUTHORITIES. Lane: Modern Egyptians, p. 337. Berggreen: Folke-Sange og Melodier, vol. x,p. 6, No. 5 Fetis:

Histoire Générale de la Musique, vol. ii, p. 79. Engel: The Music of the Most Ancient Nations, p. 260. Kiese-wetter: Die Musik der Araber, Appendix D, Ex. 11.

No. 88. There's no Deity but God (Lá ilaha illalláh). Dervish Song. Egypt

LANE, in his *Modern Egyptians*, gives the following interesting account of the performance of a zikr (the repetition of the name of God, or of the profession of his unity) by dervishes, of which scene he was an eye-witness:

"The zikkeers (or the performers of the zikr), who were about thirty in number, sat cross-legged, upon matting extended close to the houses on one side of the street. . . . Most of the zikkeers were Ahmedee darweeshes, persons of the lower orders, and meanly dressed. . . . At one end of the ring were four 'munshids' (or singers of poetry), and with them was a player on the kind of flute called 'náy.' . . . The performers began by reciting the Fát'hah, all together. . . .

"After this preface, the performers began the zikr. Sitting in the manner above described, they chanted, in slow measure, 'Láiláha illa-lláh' ('There is no deity but God'), ... bowing the head and body twice in each repetition of 'Láiláha illa-lláh.' Thus they continued about a quarter of an hour; and then, for about the same space of time, they repeated the same words to the same air, but in a quicker measure, and with correspondingly quicker motions. In the meantime, the munshids frequently sang, to the same, or a variation of the same, air, portions of a kaseedeh, or of a muweshshah; an ode of a similar nature to the Song of Solomon, generally alluding to the Prophet as the object of love and praise."

AUTHORITIES. Lane: Modern Egyptians, pp. 411, 412. Kiesewetter: Die Musik der Araber, Appendix D, Ex. 18. Berggreen: Folke-Sange og Melodier, vol. x, p. 8, No. 7.

No. 89. Thine eyes are bright (Insiraf).

In early times the Arabs possessed a "classic" form of music, which was called *Nouba*, and is said to correspond in construction to the primitive forms of the symphony. The name signified

"event," or "rotation," and the music generally consisted of five separate movements, entitled respectively

- 1. Mosadder.
- 2. Bétaïhh.
- 3. Derdj.
- 4. Insiraf.
- 5. Khélas.

According to Arab musicians, there were originally fourteen *Nouba*, and these not only formed the basis of the art of Oriental music, but served as models on which other compositions were improvised.

In the present example, the original Arabic text is wanting, French and Danish translations alone being available, from which an English version has been arranged. The song, however, is presented in the original key, and though pitched rather high for the voice, should be sung in falsetto, if an approximation to the natural effect is desired.

AUTHORITIES. Christianowitsch: Esquisse historique de la Musique Arabe, xiv. Berggreen: Folke-Sange og Melodier, vol. x, p. 14, No. 19. Brown and Moffat: Characteristic Songs, etc., p. 234.

No. 90. Deign my voice to hear (Guschi ki behakk). Persia

The numerous grace-notes and accidentals, which are so marked a characteristic of Eastern music, have been omitted in the present example, but they can easily be imagined, and supplied (ad libitum) at the will of the singer. It is to be hoped that the melody may not thus be distorted beyond recognition, though we are assured by Eastern travellers that this is often the effect actually produced. The following few measures may possibly serve as a guide:

AUTHORITIES. Kiesewetter: Die Musik der Araber, Appendix D, Ex. 26. Berggreen: Folke-Sange og Melodier, vol. x, p. 30, No. 37.

No. 91. Rustic Song (Durwan's Song). Persia The following note by Dr. Sourindro Mohun Tagore is quoted in its entirety: "The Durwan's song, sometimes called the Ghanto or Chaiti, is a kind of rustic song, sung by Hindustháni Durwans (doorkeepers) or Hindustháni ploughmen, while at work in the fields. Sometimes the Durwans invite their friends to their master's house, and spend with them a portion of the day or night in singing these songs, accompanied with the Dhola<sup>1</sup> and Mandira.<sup>2</sup>"

AUTHORITY. Tagore: Specimens of Indian Songs, No. 21, pp. 72, 73; Yantra Kosha.

No. 92. Snake-Charmer's Song (O re bho lá man re). India

THE following note, also by Dr. Tagore, is quoted in full:

"This kind of song is generally sung by the snake-charmers, to the accompaniment of the pastoral wind instrument, called the *Tubri*.3 The words are invariably invocations to the deities that preside over serpents, to protect the players from accidents when playing with them or hunting for them in holes or jungles."

AUTHORITY. Tagore: Specimens of Indian Songs, No. 22, pp. 74, 75; Yantra Kosha.

No.93. Fasmin-Flower (Moo-lee-hwa). CHINA THIS old Chinese melody is founded on the following pentatonic scale:

which suggests an ancient origin. The omission of the subdominant and the leading-note will be at once remarked, and this fact is sufficient to cause a vague tonality. Rhythm and melody being the most essential features of Eastern music, slight attention is paid to harmony, which, at times, may be best described as accidental. The present accompaniment has therefore been arranged with this effect in view, though the paradox of an Oriental two-part Canon may perhaps be justified by the employment of the air alone in its rhythmic and melodic forms, producing the result of "accidental" harmony.

Sir John Barrow, in his Travels in China (1804), states that this song was very popular

AUTHORITIES. Engel: The Music of the Most Ancient Nations, p. 129. Berggreen: Folke-Sange og Melodier, vol. x, p. 60, No. 78. Brown and Moffat: Characteristic Songs, etc., p. 250.

No. 94. New Year Song (Haru-no-uta). JAPAN A very popular melody, one of the earliest learned by the children and young people of Japan. It is frequently heard at the New Year festivals, either sung alone, or played upon the koto, or samisen, for either of which instruments it has long been a favorite air. It will be noted that the melody, like the foregoing example, is constructed on the pentatonic scale also, regarding F# as the tonic. We have thus a minor tonality, with the 4th and 7th of the scale omitted. The song is presented in the original key, called by the Japanese Hirajoshi, and known as the normal tuning for the koto, the national instrument of the country. The accompaniment has been arranged to suggest this particular instru-

AUTHORITIES. Piggott: The Music of the Japanese, p. 130; Lecture on "The Music of Japan" before the Musical Association, Eighteenth Session. Engel: Music of the Most Ancient Nations, p. 139. Reimann: Originale Chinesische und Japaniske Melodien, No. 5. Mittheilungen des Deutschen Gesellschaft für Natur und Völkerkunde Ostasiens, Heft 3, p. 13. Brown and Moffat: Characteristic Songs, etc., p. 255.

No. 95. Cherry-Bloom (Sakura). JAPAN IN Japan the season of the cherry-blossom is the occasion of a festival and holiday-making, and excursions take place to view the most favored localities throughout the country. There is much singing and rejoicing, the present song being a special favorite with the people, who are accustomed to sing it from childhood.

AUTHORITIES. Piggott: The Music of the Japanese, p. 131. Capellen: Shogaku Shoka, No. 14. Dittrich: Nippon Gakafu, No. 3.

during his residence in that country. It possesses the recommendation of being agreeable alike to Western and to Eastern ears.

<sup>1</sup> Dhola, an ordinary drum of the Hindoos.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> Mandira, small castanets of the Hindoos made of metal.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>3</sup> Tubri, Tiktiry, or Tittery, an ancient wind instrument of the Hindoos, made of double reeds.

No. 96. Pawnee War-Song. American Indian

A PAWNEE War-Song and Dance from the coliection made by Theodore Baker in his treatise *Ueber die Musik der Nord Amerikanischen* Wilden, Ex. xxvII.

No. 97. Dakota Serenade. AMERICAN INDIAN A DAKOTA "Night-Song," or serenade, sung by several young men, who promenade together through the camp or village, beating drums. AUTHORITY. Baker (T.): Ueber die Musik der Nord Amerikanischen Wilden, Ex. XII.

No. 98. Old Folks at Home. United States of America

A PLANTATION Song, the words and music of which were written by Stephen C. Foster (1826-. 1864). It has been described as one of the chief home-songs of the world, and may be said to possess a world-wide reputation. According to Elson, it is only in the South, "possessing characteristic surroundings, and a race of natural singers in its colored population," that something akin to an especial folksong has developed, "distinctly different from the music of other nations." It undoubtedly presents a "graphic expression of a phase of American life," and for this reason, we are justified in regarding these Plantation melodies and songs as belonging to, and representative of, a particular race. At least they have been adapted as such by the white and black folk alike. It may be added, that these songs were written and composed in imitation of the original Negro Plantation Songs.

AUTHORITIES. Elson: The National Music of America, pp. 267, 268. Bayley & Ferguson: Fifty Minstrel Songs, p. 36. Randolph: Patriotic Songs, p. 120. Brown and Moffat: Characteristic Songs, etc., p. 194. Bayley & Ferguson: S. Students' Songbook, p. 288.

No. 99. Tenting on the old Camp Ground. United States of America

The words and music are by Walter Kittredge, and the song evidently relates to an episode in the Civil War. The sentiment is depressing rather than stimulating, but it found an echo in many American hearts, weary of internal strife. The music, though not a conscious imitation, possesses the characteristic rhythms of a Negro melody, and is a favorite song at the present day. The air has also been adapted as a hymn-tune, and is sung to a setting by the Rev. O. E. Murray, entitled "The Same Old Cause."

AUTHORITIES. Randolph: Patriotic Songs, p. 193. Murray: The Singing Patriot, Nos. 89 and 98.

No. 100. Dixie. United States of America

This popular song was written as a "walkaround" by Dan Emmett, who was born in Ohio in 1815. It was sung at a minstrel show in New York, a year or so before the Civil War. The song presents an effective picture of the genial, merry, and romantic side of plantation life. During the war, "Dixie" is said to have had great influence on the battlefield, and at one time was associated with the southern army as its own particular song, replacing a paraphrase of the "Marseillaise," which had been previously adopted. Later on, the song was appropriated by the Northerners, and thus served the purposes of the two rival forces. According to Elson, "It is thoroughly representative of the 'land o' cotton, 'simmon seed, an' sandy bottom.'"

AUTHORITIES. Elson: The National Music of America, pp. 245-247, 260. Randolph: Patriotic Songs, p. 12. Bayley & Ferguson: Fifty Minstrel Songs, p. 62.

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## ONE HUNDRED FOLKSONGS OF ALL NATIONS

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### SALLY IN OUR ALLEY

(England)



## O WILLOW, WILLOW!

(England) Melody from Thomas Dallis's Lute Book (1588) Edited and arranged by Granville Bantock Slow and expressive VOICE poor soul sat 1. A sigh - ing bу tree, Sing wil - low, wil-low, syc - a - more 2. He sigh'd in his sing - ing, and Sing wil - low, wil-low, a great moan, made **PIANO** head up-on his knee. true loveshe is gone. wil-low! With his hand in his bos-om and his 0 wil-low, wil-low, wil-low, wil-low! I'm dead to a11 pleas-ure, my wil - low! O wil-low, wil-low, wil-low, wil - low gar-landshall be. Sing my wil-low, wil - low, wil-low, wil-low, Ah, the green me! wil - low my gar - land must be. più p dim.





# THE VICAR OF BRAY

(England)





5

When George in pudding-time came o'er, And moderate men look'd big, sir, My principles I changed once more, And so became a Whig, sir.

And thus preferment I procured From our new faith's defender, And almost every day abjured The Pope and the Pretender.

And this is law etc.

6

Th' illustrious house of Hanover And Protestant succession, To these I do allegiance swear While they can keep possession: For in my faith and loyalty I never more will falter, And George my lawful king shall be Until the times do alter. And this is law etc.

### COME, LASSES AND LADS

(England)



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(Scotland)

DOUGLAS of FINGLAND

LADY JOHN SCOTT

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#### 6 MY AIN KIND DEARIE,O

(Scotland)

ROBERT FERGUSSON

Melody from Oswald's Caledonian Pocket Companion (1755) Edited and arranged by Granville Bantock



## THE LAIRD O' COCKPEN

(Scotland)

LADY CAROLINA NAIRNE

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## O LOGIE O' BUCHAN

(Scotland)





#### THE LAST ROSE OF SUMMER

(Ireland)

THOMAS MOORE (1779-1852)

Air: The Groves of Blarney
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#### 10 THE MINSTREL BOY

(Ireland)



#### 11 THE DAUGHTERS OF ERIN



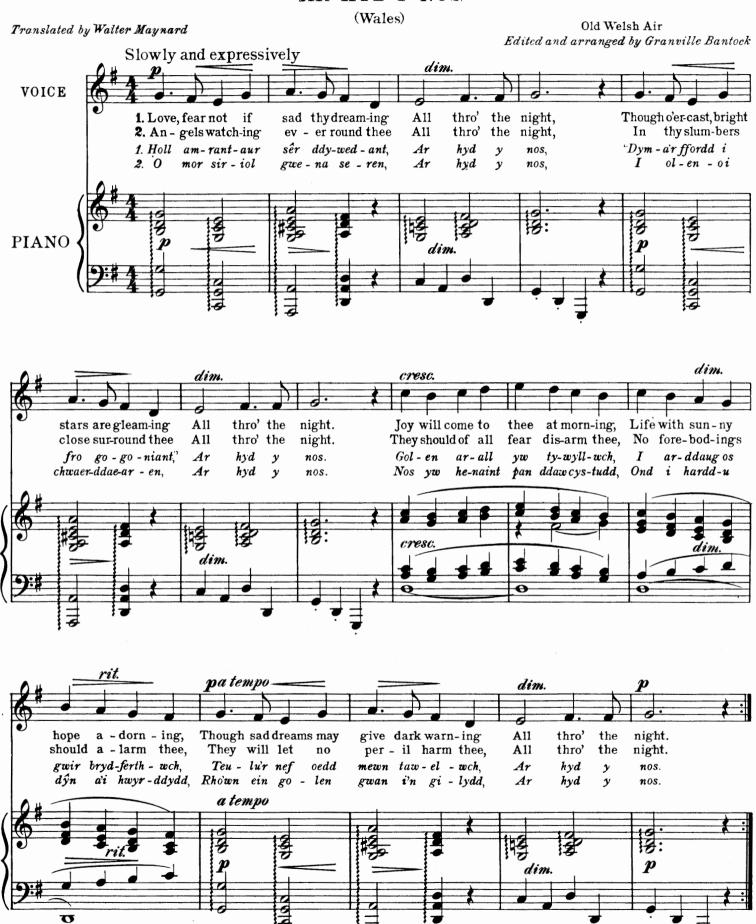




## THE PRETTY GIRL MILKING HER COW



# ALL THROUGH THE NIGHT (AR HYD Y NOS)



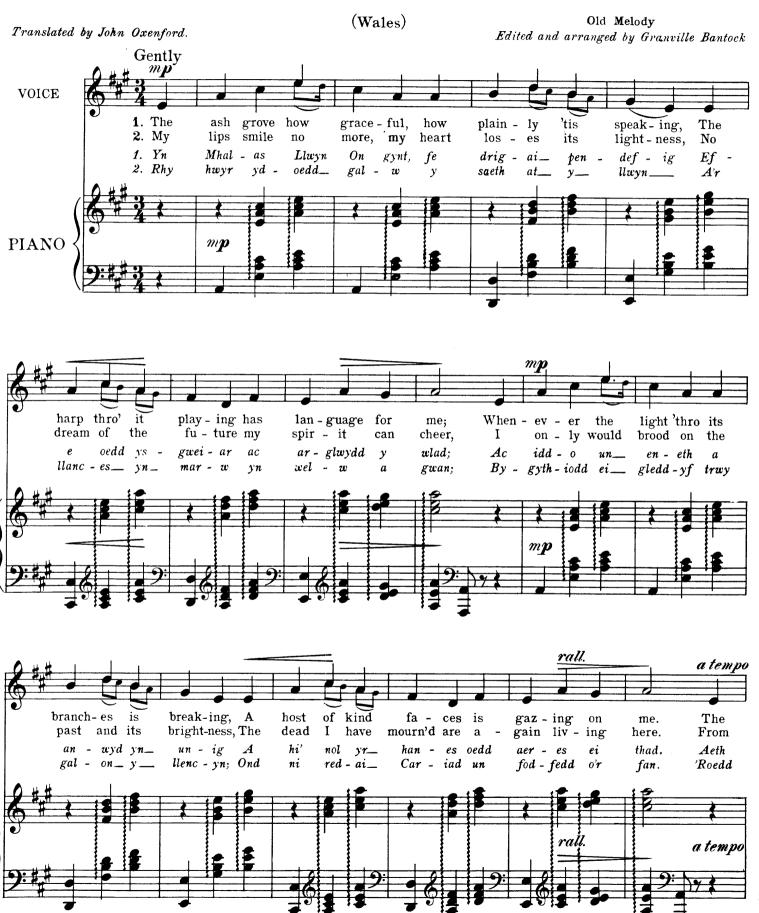
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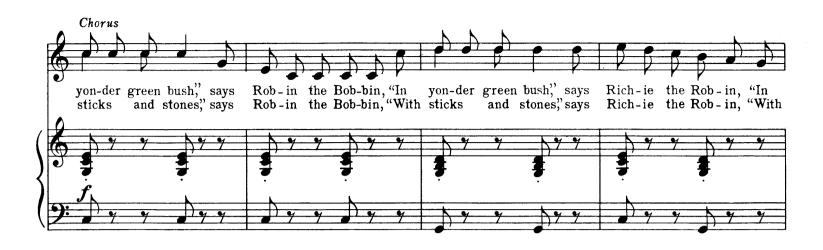
#### 15 THE ASH GROVE (LLWYN ON)





#### 16 HUNT THE WREN







"How get him home?" says Robin the Bobbin, etc., etc., etc. Verse 3

Chorus "In the brewer's big cart," says Robin the Bobbin, etc., etc., etc.

"How shall we boil him?" says Robin the Bobbin, etc., etc., etc. Verse 4

Chorus "In the brewer's big pan," etc., etc., etc.

"Who'll come to the dinner?" etc., etc., etc. Verse 5

Chorus "The King and the Queen," etc., etc., etc.

"How shall we eat him?" etc., etc., etc. Verse 6

Chorus "With knives and forks," etc., etc., etc.

"Eyes to the blind," says Robin the Bobbin, "Legs to the lame," says Richie the Robin, "Pluck to the poor," says Jack o'the Land, "Bones to the dogs," says every one. Verse 7

Chorus The wren, the wren is king of the birds, St. Stephen's Day he's caught in the furze;

Although he is little, his family's great; We pray you, good people, give us a treat.

# 17 IN OUR HAPPY VILLAGE (DANS NOTRE VILLAGE)

VILLANELLE

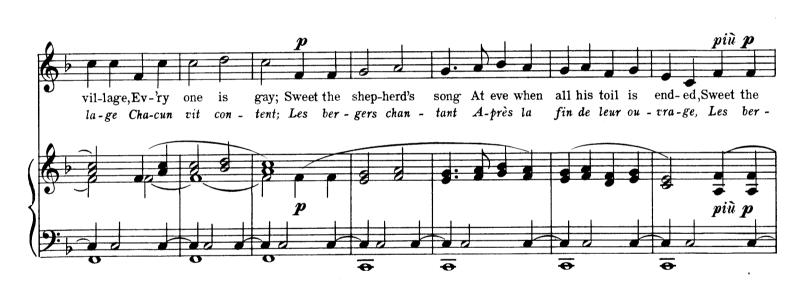
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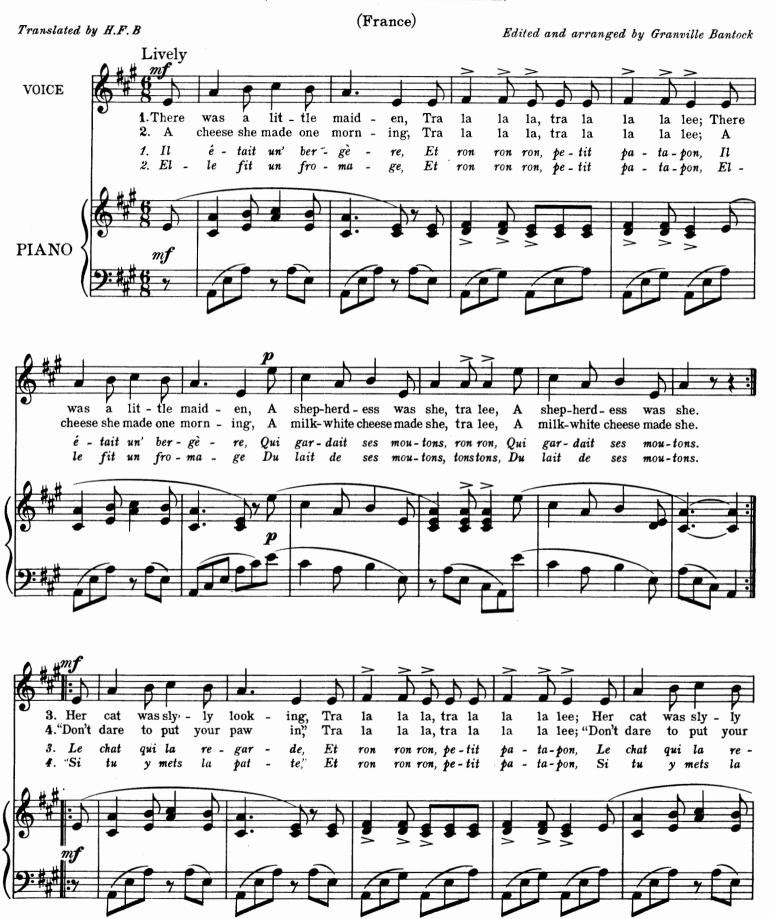








## THERE WAS A LITTLE MAIDEN (IL ÉTAIT UN' BERGÈRE)





5

He did not put his paw in, Tra la la la, tra la la la lee, He did not put his paw in, But all his chin put he.

6

So vex'd the little maiden Tra la la la, tra la la la lee, So vex'd the little maiden Her little cat kill'd she.

7

She pray'd the priest for pardon, Tra la la la, tra la la la lee, She pray'd the priest for pardon, "Ah, woe, ah, woe is me!

8

"Father, my cat I've beaten," Tra la la la, tra la la la lee, "Father, my cat I've beaten, And dead as stone lies he."

9

"My child, you must do penance," Tra la la la, tra la la la lee, "My child, you must do penance, A kiss must give to me."

10

"The punishment so sweet is, Tra la la la, tra la la la lee, "The punishment so sweet is, Another kiss give me." Il n'y mit pas la patte,
Et ron, ron, ron, petit patapon,
Il n'y mit pas la patte,
Il y mit la menton.

La bergère en colère, Et ron, ron, ron, petit patapon, La bergère en colère, Tua son p'tit chaton.

Elle fut à confesse

Et ron, ron, ron, petit patapon,

Elle fut à confesse,

Pour obtenir pardon.

Mon père, je m'accuse, Et ron, ron, ron, petit patapon, Mon père, je m'accuse D'avoir tué mon chaton.

Ma fill', pour pénitence, Et ron, ron, ron, petit patapon, Ma fill', pour pénitence, Nous nous embrasserons.

10
La pénitence est douce,
Et ron, ron, ron, petit patapon,
La pénitence est douce,
Nous recommencerons.

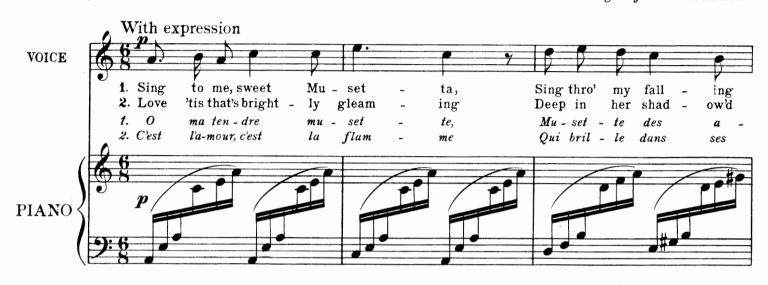
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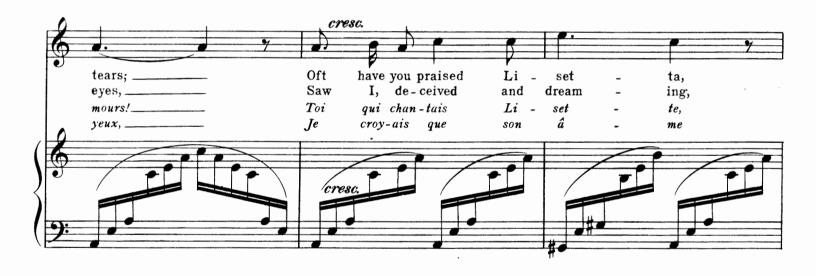
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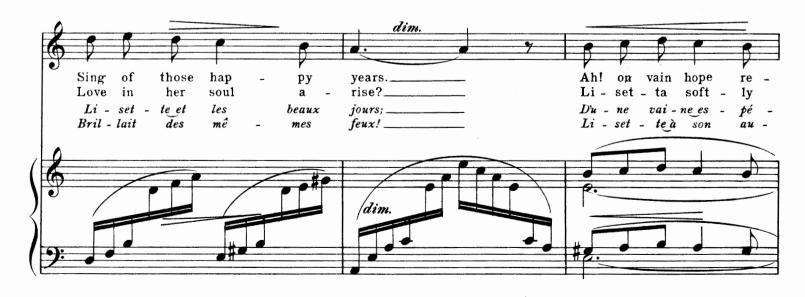
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3.

Her voice for me grows tender, Her lovely lips allure, And all her beauty's splendor How shall my eyes endure? Where'er she calls, I follow, Let her but look, I love; But all my hopes are hollow, Vain do her false vows prove.

4.

Sing to me, sweet Musetta,
Soothing my anguish sore,
Sing to me of Lisetta
Soft name that I adore,
Ever my suit denying,
Lovelier than before;
For her my heart is sighing,
Faithful for evermore.

3.

Sa voix pour me séduire Avait plus de douceur, Jusques à son sourire Tout en elle est trompeur. Tout en elle interesse Et je voudrais, hélas! Qu'elle eût plus de tendresse Ou qu'elle eût moins d'appas.

4.

O ma tendre musette,
Console ma douleur,
Parle-moi de Lisette,
Ce nom fait mon bonheur.
Je la revois plus belle,
Plus belle tous les jours:
Je ma plains toujours d'elle,
Et je l'aime toujours.

# ON THE BRIDGE OF AVIGNON (SUR LE PONT D'AVIGNON)





# WHEN THE NIGHTINGALE SHALL SING

(QUANT LI ROSIGNOL JOLIS)

(Troubadours)

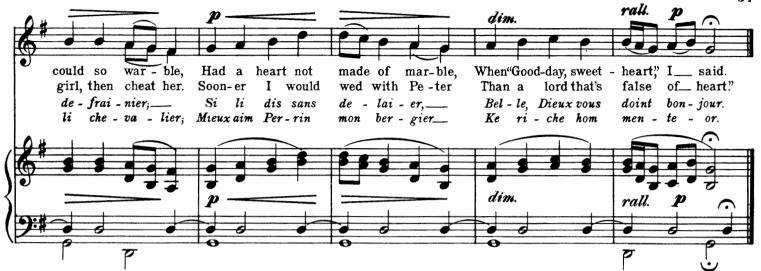


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# EARLY STROLLING AT MY LEISURE (L'AUTRIER PAR LA MATINÉE)





3.

"Much, my dear, you are mistaken; Gentlemen alone can love, Honor, ne'er by them forsaken, All deceit must disapprove. Learn a stupid clown to slight, Who your worth can ne'er requite; Him to vulgar charms consign; If, my life, you will endeavor To love me as well, you ever Shall be happy, rich, and fine."

#### 4

"By Saint Mary, sir, you're losing All the pains you take to ensnare, Words so soft and so amusing Must have ruin'd many a fair, But the fame is spread abroad Of the tricks, deceit and fraud, Practised by each gilded beau; If your words were ten times sweeter, Still I would be true to Peter, Therefore, pray sir, let me go."

### 5.

Here she show'd disapprobation
And a wish to get away,
Nor had pray'r or supplication
Power to prolong her stay.
Then embolden'd by despair,
In my arms I seize the fair,
When with terror and affright
Loud she roars for help, on Peter,
As if bear began to eat her
With a furious appetite.

#### 6.

Peter to the cries she utters
Answers in the neighb'ring grove;
Num'rous threats of vengeance mutters,
Furious to relieve his love:
Hearing this, I thought it best
Instant to give up the jest;
Swift I mount my palfrey — when
Seeing I thro' fear was flying,
Loudly she continued crying
"Fie on all such gentlemen!"

3.

Belle, ce ne dites mie, Chevalier sont trop vaillant: Qui set donc avoir amie Ne servir à son talent Fors chevaliers, et tel gent? Mais l'amors d'un bergeron, Certes, ne vaut un boton, Partés vous donc en irant, Et m'amés, je vous creant, De moi aurés riche don.

#### 4.

Sire, par Sainte Marie, Vous en parlés por noiant, Mainte dame, auront trichie, Cil chevalier ses-duiant, Trop sont fol et mal pensant, Pis valent, que Guenelon (y); Je m'en vais en ma maison. Ke Perrin est ki m'atent, M'aime de cuer loiaument; Abaisies votre raison.

#### 5.

J'entendi bien la bergiere, Kèle me veut eschaper; Molt li fis longe proiere, Mais ni puce rien conquester: Lors la pris à acoler, Et ele giete un grant cri: Perrient, trai, trai, Don bois prenent a huer, Je la lais, sans demourer Sor mon cheval m'en parti.

#### 6.

Quant ele m'en vit aler, Si mi dist, pour ramposner, Chevaliers sont trop hardi.

# 23 SUMMERTIME (SOMMERLIED)





# 24 MINSTREL SONG

(MINNELIED)
(Minnesingers)

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### ANNIE OF THARAU





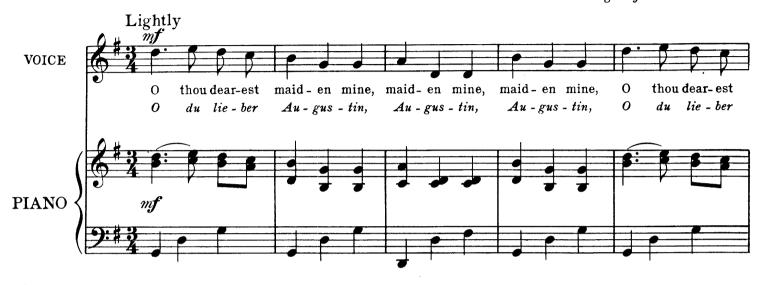
## O THOU DEAREST MAIDEN MINE

(O DU LIEBER AUGUSTIN)

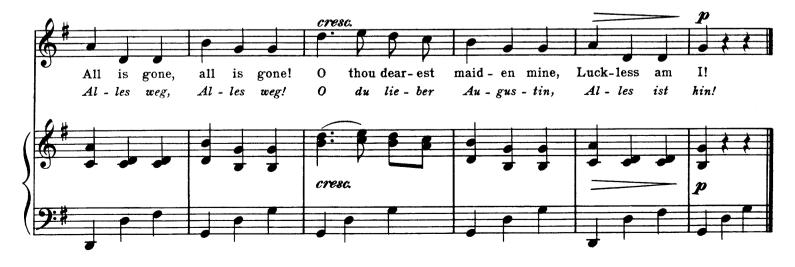
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# TRUE LOVE

(TREUE LIEBE)

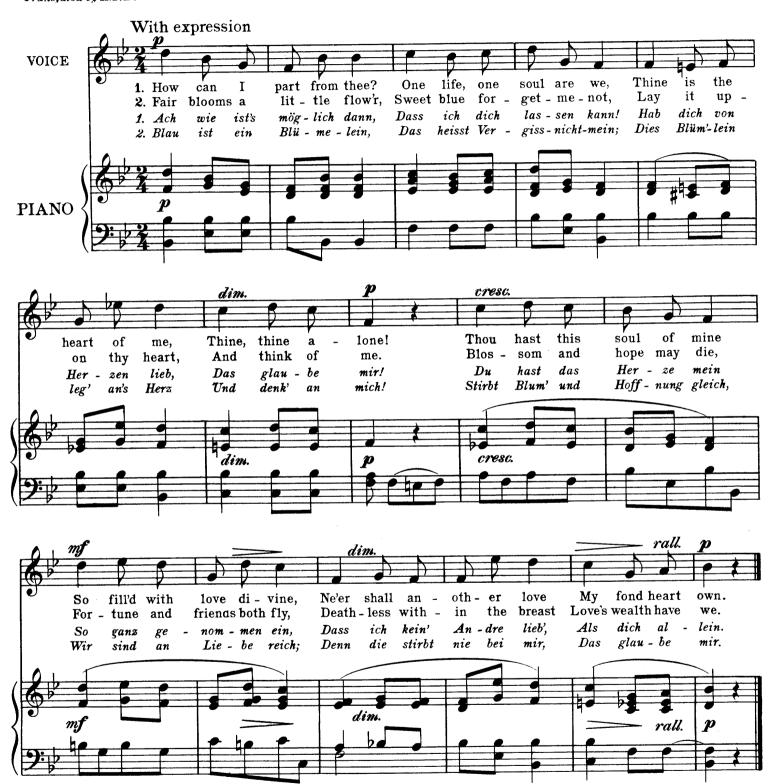
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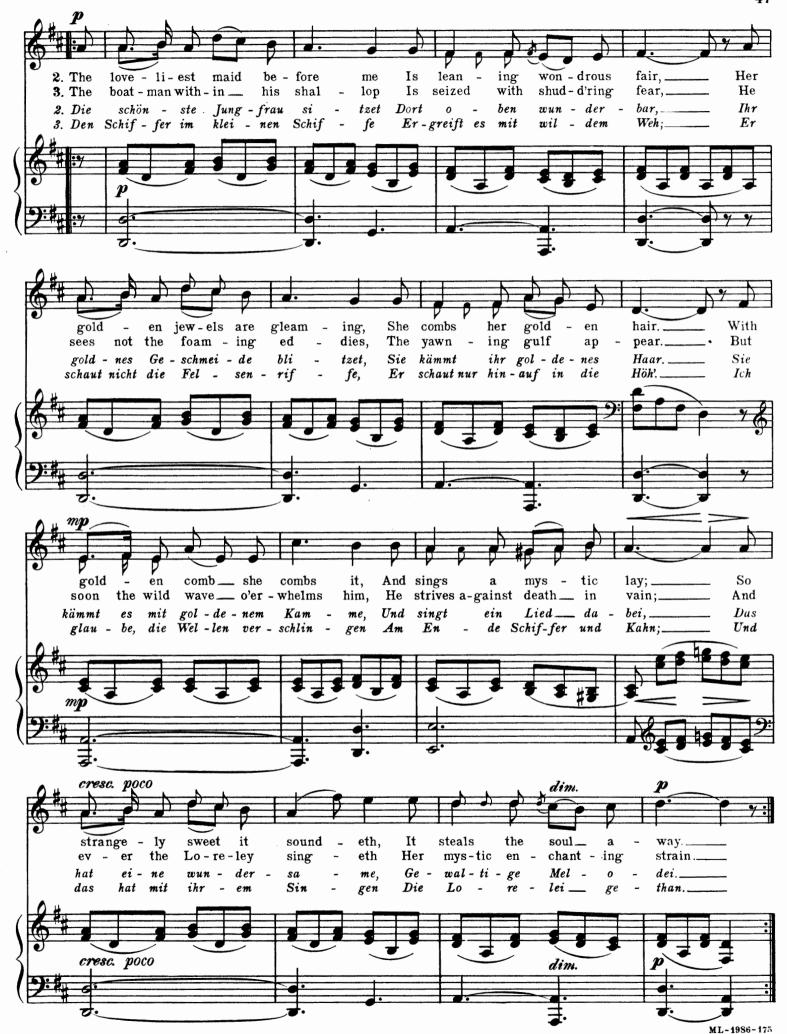


3. If a wee bird were I,
Soon to thy side I'd fly,
Falcon nor hawk fear I
Speeding to thee.
Shot by some hunter dead,
Didst thou but bow thy head,
Grieving my spirit fled,
Gladly I'd die.

3. Wär' ich ein Vögelein,
Wollt' ich bald bei dir sein,
Scheut' Falk und Habicht nicht,
Flög' schnell zu dir.
Schöss mich ein Jäger todt,
Fiel'ich in deinen Schoss;
Sahst du mich traurig an,
Gern stürb ich dann.

### 28 THE LORELEY (DIE LORELEI)





## 29 MUST I GO (MUSS I DENN)

(Germany)





3.

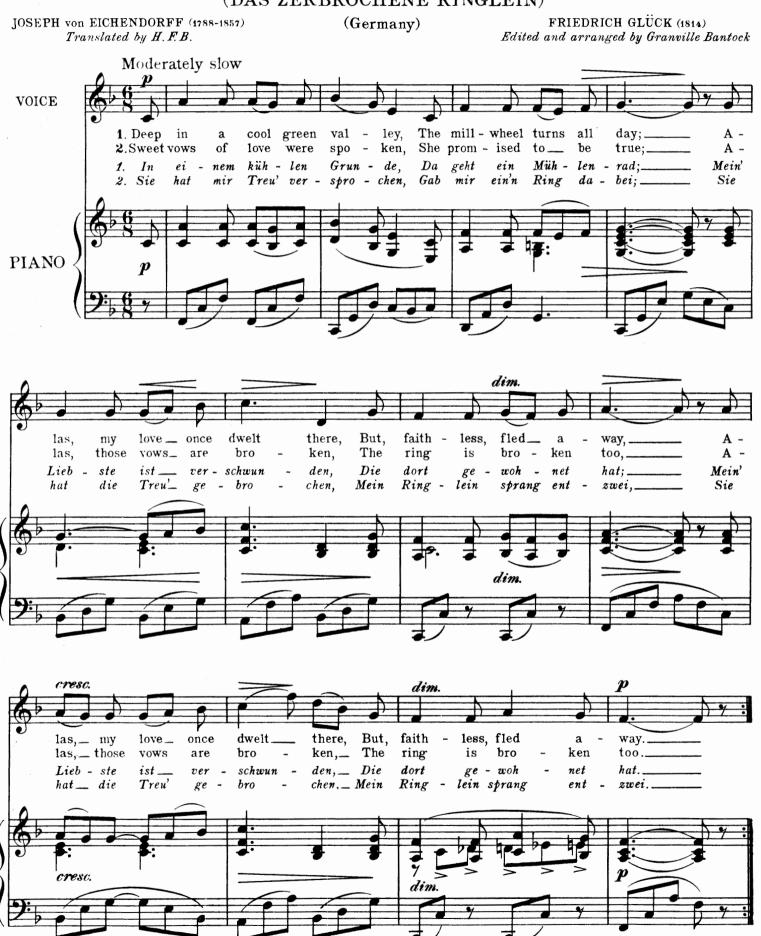
In a year, when the vintage is o'er, I'll return again to thee;
And if then, thy love still am I,
Then shall our wedding be.
In a year my service will be done,
And our fond hearts shall be one,
And if then, thy love still am I,
Then shall our wedding be.

3.

Ueber's Jahr, wenn me Träubele schneid't, Stell' i hier mi wiedrum ein; Bin i dann, dein Schätzele noch, So soll die Hochzeit sein.
Ueber's Jahr, da ist mein Zeit vorbei, Da gehör, i mein und dein; Bin i dann, dein Schätzele noch, So soll die Hochzeit sein.

# 30

# THE BROKEN RING (DAS ZERBROCHENE RINGLEIN)





# ALL'S THE SAME TO ME ('S IST MIR ALLES EINS)



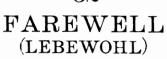


- He who gold has, in a sleigh can go;
   He who none has, stumbles in the snow.
   All's the same, etc.
- 6. He who gold has, may on oysters dine; He who none has, on potatoes pine. All's the same, etc.
- He who gold has, to the play can go;
   He who none has, laughs at Punch's show.
   All's the same, etc.
- 8. He who gold has, Death will snatch away; He who none has, must as soon decay.

  All's the same, etc.

- 5. Wer ein Geld hat, kann Schlittagen geb'n, Und wer keins hat, wad't im Schnee daneb'n. Das ist etc.
- 6. Wer ein Geld hat, der kann Austern ess'n, Und wer keins hat, kann Kartoffeln fress'n. Das ist etc.
- 7. Wer ein Geld hat, kann ins Theater fahr'n, Und wer keins hat, macht sich z' Haus den Narr'n. Das ist etc.
- 8. Wer ein Geld hat, der muss auch sterb'n, Und wer keins hat, muss schon so verderb'n. Das ist etc.

# 32



(Germany) Folksong (1827) FRIEDRICH SILCHER (1827) Translated by H.F.B. Edited and arranged by Granville Bantock With great expression VOICE 1. Best be-lov - ed, must say Sad fare - well\_\_\_ to - mor-row, Grief and yearn-ing 1. Mor - gen muss ich fort von hier Und muss Ab - schied neh-men; 0 du al - ler -PIANO dim. p espress. fill my soul, Part-ing brings such my faith-ful heart sor-row. Thee a-lone schön - ste Zier, Schei-den das\_\_\_\_bringt Grä-men. Daichdich so treu ge-liebt, p espress. cresc. dim. be-yond all Loves meas-ure; Must I leave my dear-est one, Leave my on - ly treas-ure. Über al - le Mua - ssen, Sollich dich ver- las sen, Sellich dich ver - las - sen! dim. cresc. p cresc.



### 33 IN CELLAR COOL (IM KÜHLEN KELLER)







# O FAITHFUL PINE







# THE HOSTESS' DAUGHTER (DER WIRTHIN TÖCHTERLEIN)

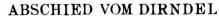


- "My ale and my wine are fresh and clear; My beautiful daughter lies dead on her bier."
- 4. Full sad to the maiden's chamber they go, Where in the black coffin she lay pure as snow.
- 5. The first one so gently the veil upraised, And on her still beauty he mournfully gazed.
- 6. "Ah, didst thou but live, thou beautiful maid, How fondly I'd love thee now," sighing, he said.
- 7. The second the veil o'er her face drew again, His sad tears fell fast as he cried in his pain;
- 8. "Alas, that thou liest there dead on thy bier, I've loved thee so truly for many a year."
- 9. The third, softly, swiftly raised upward the veil, And kiss'd with pure passion her lips sweet and pale.
- 10. "Ah, thee loved I always!.... thee love I today! And thee will I worship for ever and aye!"

- 3. "Mein Bier und Wein ist frisch und klar; Mein Töchterlein liegt auf der Todtenbahr!"
- 4. Und als sie traten zur Kammer hinein, Da lag sie in einem schwarzen Schrein.
- 5. Der erste der schlug den Schleier zurück Und schaute sie an mit traurigem Blick:
- 6. "Ach, lebtest du noch, du schöne Maid! Ich würde dich lieben von dieser Zeit!"
- 7. Der zweite deckte den Schleier zu Und kehrte sich ab, und weinte dazu:
- 8. "Ach, dass du liegst auf der Todtenbahr: Ich hab' dich geliebt so manches Jahr!"
- 9. Der dritte hub ihn wieder sogleich Und küsste sie auf den Mund so bleich:
- 10. "Dich liebt' ich immer, dich lieb' ich noch heut'
  Und werde dich lieben in Ewigkeit"

### FROM THESE DEAR MOUNTAINS

### (VON MEINEM BERGLI)





So fare thee well, my heart's beloved one, Thou my happiness and pain; Come lift to mine thy lip's soft sweetness For love's sake, kiss me once again!

4

Weep not so wildly, I entreat thee, Changeless is this heart of mine; Wait one short year, then homeward speeding, I shall evermore be thine! So leb' denn wohl, du schöne Senn'rin, I reis' stets durch di beglückt; Komm, reich' mir dein zartes Munderl, Und küsse den noch, der di liebt!

4

I bitte di gar schön, lass's weine, Es kann ja doch nit anders sein; Bis über's Jahr komm' wieder heime, I bin ja ganz gewiss noch dein!

### IN AARGAU DWELT TWO SWEETHEARTS (THE HOME-COMING)

(IM AERGÄU SIND ZWEU LIEBI)



- 'Twas next year's early summer When all the leaves were green.
- 4. Full surely had the year pass'd, The youth once more came home.
- 5. He walk'd across the roadway To where his sweetheart dwelt.
- 6. "God greet thee, dearest maiden, To thee my heart is true."
- "Alas! I'm loath to grieve thee, Another love is mine.
- 8. Good looks and riches has he, And both are dear to me."
- 9. He cross'd the roadway sadly, And wept in bitter woe.
- 10. And there his mother ask'd him, "Why art thou weeping so?"
- 11. "Why then should I not sorrow? No longer am I loved!"
- 12. "Hadst thou at home stay'd alway, Thy love would still be thine?

- Uf d's Jahr im and're Summer, Wenn alli Stüdeli tragid Laub.
- Und d's Jahr und das wär' ume! Der jung Chnab ist wied'rum hei.
- Er zug dur's Gässeli ufe, Wo d's schon Anneli verborge läg.
- "Gott grüess dich, du Hübschi, du Feini! Von Herze gefallst mir wohl!
- 7. "Wie kann ich denn dir gefalle? Ha<sup>6</sup> schon längst en andre Mann.
- En hübsche-n-und en rychen, Und der mich erhalte kann"
- Er zug dur's Gässeli abe? Er truuret und weint so sehr.
- 10. Da begegnet ihm seini Muetter: "Und was truurist und weinist so sehr?"
- 11. "Warum sollt i denn nit truure? Titz ha-n-i keis Schätzeli meh!"
- 12. "Wärist du daheim gebliebe, So hättist dys Schätzeli no!". 10

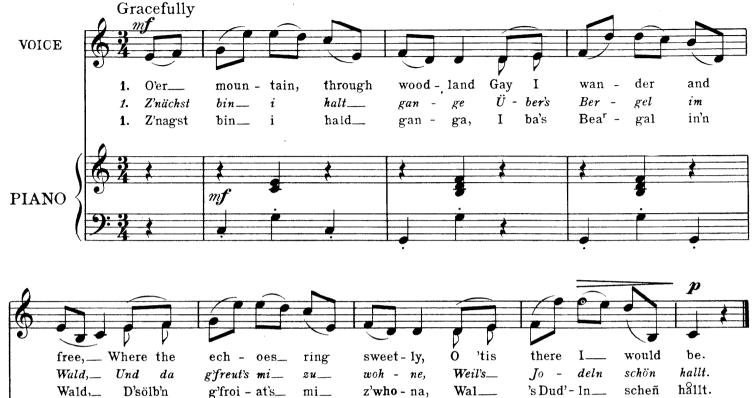
## 38 WOOING (WERBUNG)

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(Austria)

Folksong

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2.

Where echoes ring sweetly Through dim woodland shade, Strays the maiden I long for With her flocks in the glade.

3.

The maiden I long for, With a passion untold, Black her eyes are deep glancing, Child no more, but not old.

4.

Her eyes black soft glancing Like the skies' starry shine, Never more would I wander If that maiden were mine.

5.

Sweet maid of the woodland, O hear me, I pray, Thine my heart's deep devotion, Thee I worship for aye. Weil's Jodeln schön hallt Im stockfinstern Wald, Und a Diandel dort hütet Des mer gar so gut g'fallt.

3.

Des mer gar so gut g'fallt, Wie koi andre so bald, Und schon schwarzauget ist Und net z'jung und net z'alt.

4.

Und net z'jung und net z'alt.
Von wunderschöne Gestalt,
I gang nimm'r ausser
Wenn mi's Diandel mag vom Wald.

5.

Und Diandel vom Wald, Geh' sei net so kalt, Nimm de z'samm'n und sag's ausser, Ob mein Lieb' dir net g'fallt! 2.

Wal's Dud'ln scheñ hallt Im schtogfinstan Wald, Und a Dea<sup>r</sup>ndal duad gras'n, Dē ma goa<sup>r</sup> a so g'fallt.

3

Dē ma goar a so g'fâllt Wia koañ auf d'r Hâld, Und scheñ schwoarzangad is, Und nēd z'jung und nēd z'âld.

4.

Und nēd z'jung und nēd z'ald, Von wundaschēna G'schtalt; I gang nimm'r aussa, Wann mih's Dearnd'l mēcht vom Wald.

5.

Und Dearndal vom Wäld, Geh, sai nēd so käld, Nimm dih z'sämm und sägma's bäld, Ob maiñ Liab da nēd g'fällt?

# TYROLESE ARE BLITHESOME

(TYROLER SIND LUSTIG)

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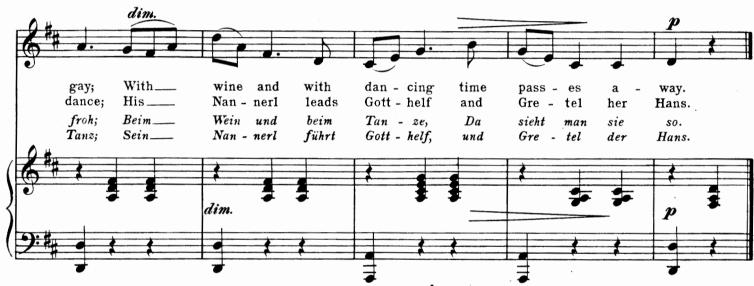
(Tyrol)

JACOB HEIBEL (1795)

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3.

Each maid drives the cattle to Alma's green grass, As she guides them, she's knitting, the diligent lass, While high on the mountains, sounds jödling clear, As bold lads at evening bring home the wild deer.

### 4.

Right gaily they welcome the hunter's rich prize, With shouting and feasting, the merry night flies; Each gladly his wine gives, from well treasured store, And forth fares the hunter to Alma once more.

### 5.

Sweet Nannerl so thrifty, sells butter and milk, And Gotthelf weaves briskly gay covers of silk; With wares then the brave lad goes far to the towns, And brings home rejoicing the bright golden crowns.

#### 6.

Each sweetheart is faithful, when maid he doth sue, A glad wife he makes her, is honest and true; Sweet household communion makes ever more dear, Each heart to the other, through many a year. 3.

Sie treiben ihr Vieh auf der Alma ins Gras, Und dabei geht's Mädel und stricket sich was; Indessen der Bube die Felsen besteigt, Und oftmals ein Gemschen zum Braten erschleicht.

4.

Und kommt so ein Jäger mit Beute nach Haus, Dann jauchzet und schmaust man, bis alles ist aus; Und hat man's, so trinkt man ein Gläschen darauf, Und geht dann frisch wieder zur Alma hinauf.

5.

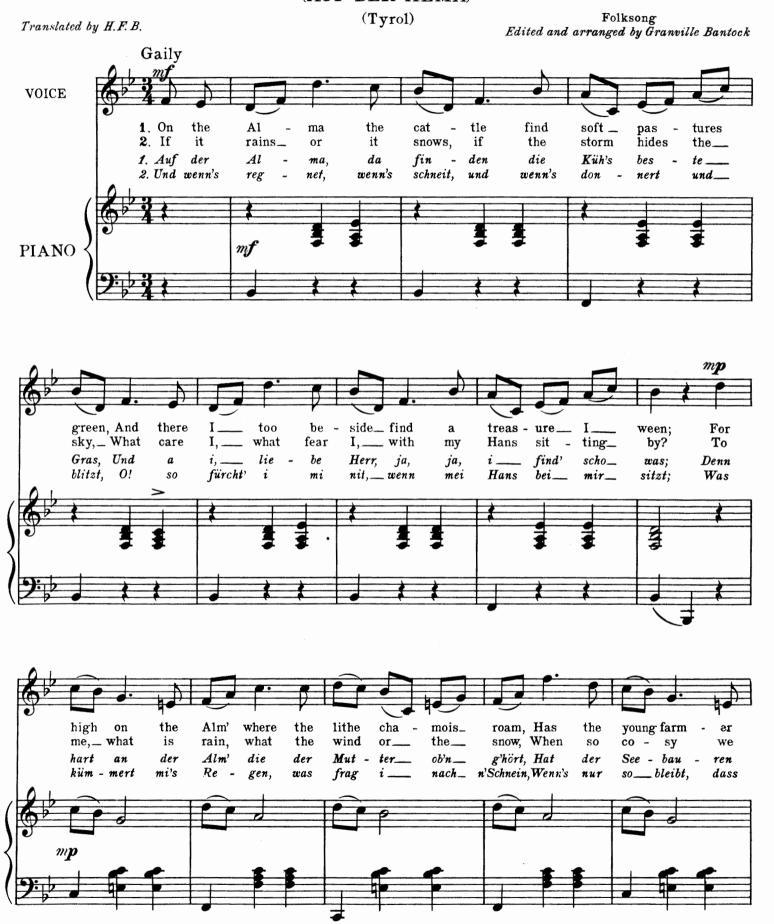
Die Stadt versorgt Nannerl mit Butter und Milch, Und Gotthelf webt bunte Tischdecken und Zwil'ch; Damit geht der Bube in's Reich dann hinaus, Und bringt blanke Thaler dafür mit in's Haus.

6.

Hat einer ein Schätzerl, so bleibt er dabei, Er nimmt sie zum Weiberl und liebt sie recht treu; Dann füngt man die Wirthschaft gemeinschaftlich an, Und liebt sich und herzt sich so sehr, als man kann.

# 40

# ON THE ALMA (AUF DER ALMA)





### FROM THE MOUNTAIN'S HEIGHT



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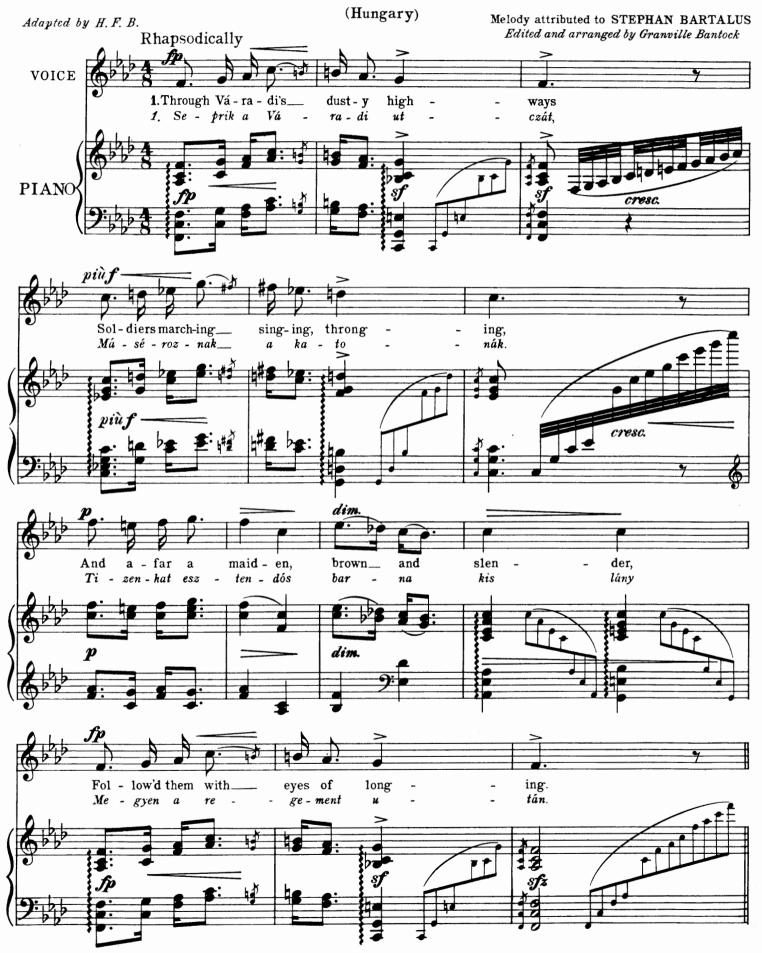


# HUNGARIA'S TREASURE

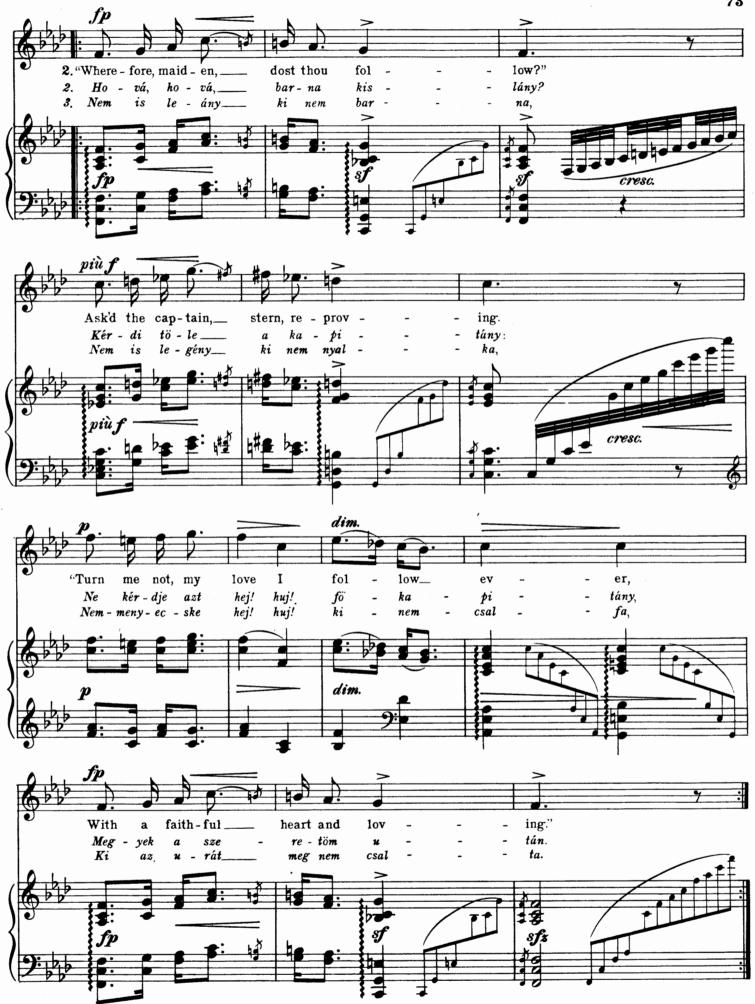
(MAGASAN REPÜL A DARU) (Hungary) Folksong Translated by H. F. B. Edited and arranged by Granville Bantock **Impressively** 1. God, who once to bright Hun-ga-ria sor gave, 1. Ma - ga-san re pül da - rù, szól, szé pen PIANO cresc. man, hope-less, sink his drear grave; in - to Ha - rag - szik rám én ró - zsám szól; azmert. cresc. dim red wine too, Gave and the fair maid's of heart love, Neba - bám! ká ha - ra - gudj desso ig, dim. cresc. Else-where none sweet is found as rich Hun-ga-ria's treas ure trove. so Ti - éd va - gyok, ti éd le - szek ko por - sóm ig. cresc.



#### 43 VÁRADI'S HIGHWAYS (SEPRIK A VÁRADI UTCZAT)

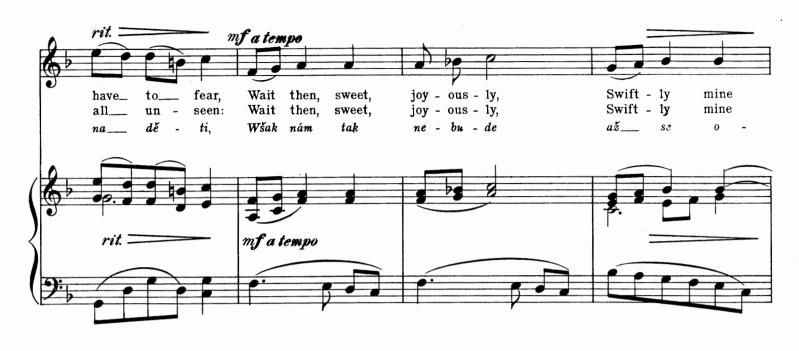


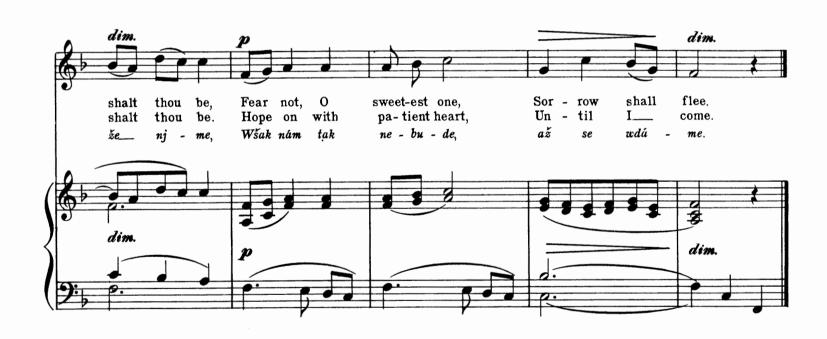




#### 44 THE TREASURE (WŠAK NÁM TAK, NEBUDE)







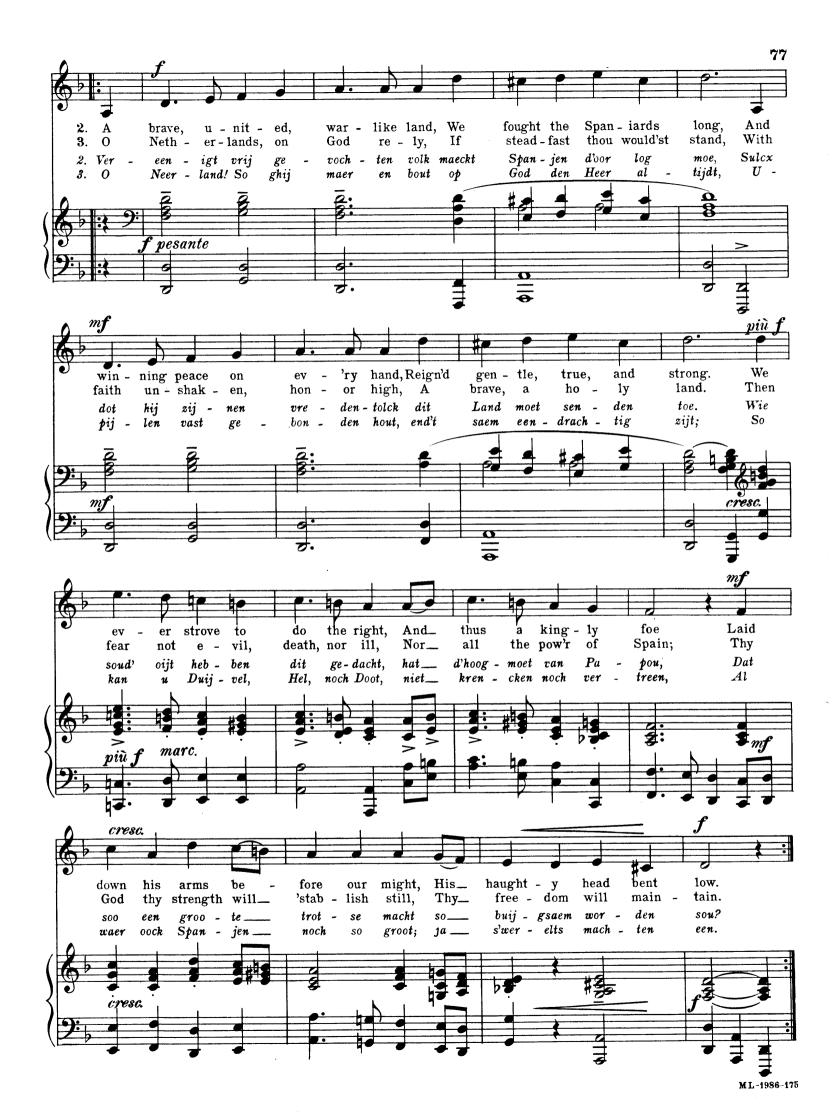
1.
Nicht fürchte, Liebchen, dich vor Noth und Sorgen:
Ein'n Schatz besitze ich am Bach verborgen.
Unten am klaren Bach,
Bedeckt mit grünem Moos:
Freu' dich, süss Liebchen mein, wirst bald die Meine sein,
Dann schwindet jede Noth,
Kummer und Pein!

Nicht fürchte, Liebchen, dich vor Betilergaben;
Ich hab' die Thaler schon im Feld vergraben;
Im Feld, im grünen Klee,
Dass dort kein Mensch sie seh':
Freu' dich, süss Liebchen mein, wirst bald die Meine sein,
Nur gedulde dich, mein Kind, bis ich sie find'!

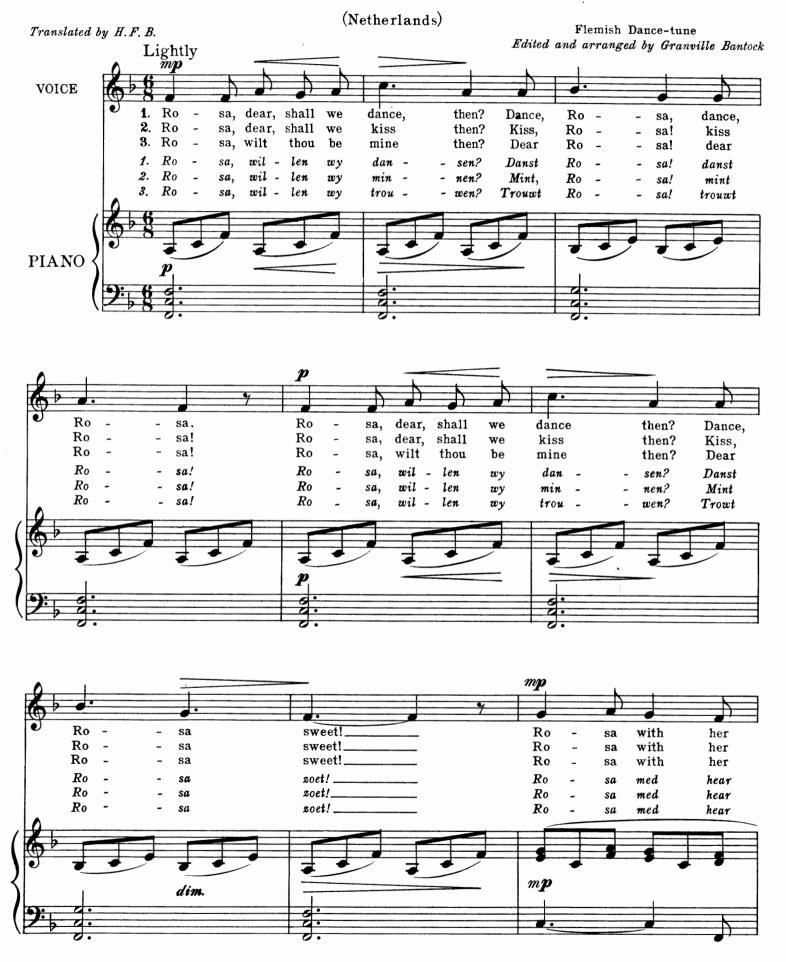
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#### WHERE'ER MAN RANGES (WAER DAT MEN SICH)





 $\frac{46}{ ext{ROSA}}$ 





- 4. Rosa, willen wy kussen?

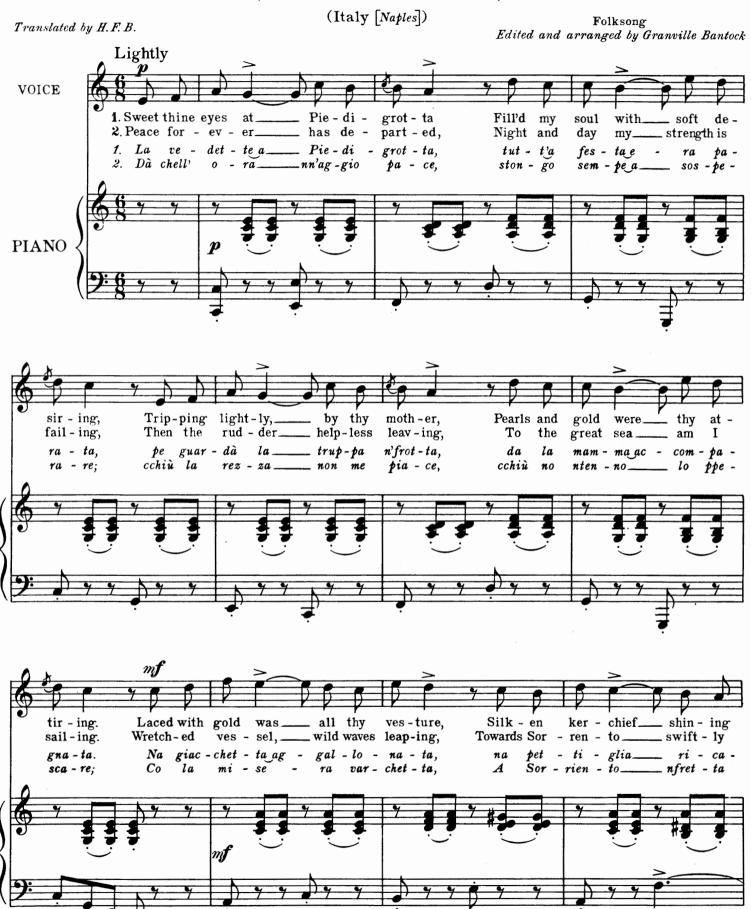
  Kust, Rosa! kust Rosa! kust Rosa zoet!

  Rosa met hear etc.. etc.
- 5. Rosa, willen wy kroonen?

  Kroont Rosa! kroont Rosa! kroont Rosa zoet!

  Rosa met hear etc., etc.

# THE FAIR MAID OF SORRENTO (LA VERA SORRENTINA)







3.

Storm-toss'd, weary of my anguish,
Now is ended my repining;
For my bright star I am yearning,
Hide no longer thy sweet shining.
'Neath the gloomy skies I wander,
Fast I'm flying through the storm-blast,
Towards Resina's rock-reefs yonder
To be dashed upon the shore.
Vain-loved maiden of Sorrento,
I shall see thee never more.

4

If thou show'st me no compassion,
Icy maiden, live then lonely;
In kind arms I will forget thee,
And a sweeter maid love only.
Ah! o'erwhelming, wild storms flying,
Drive me helpless from the haven,
Winds are raving, day is dying,
Round my vessel great waves flow,
In their hungry deeps, O maiden,
Sinks my heart, and all is woe.

3.

Mme spaventa la tempesta,
mme fa affritto la bonaccia,
chisto core è sulo nfesta
quanno vede chella faccia.
L'auto juorno, io sbenturato,
ca lo mare era ngrossato,
mmiezo all'acque de Resina
quase stea pe mm annjâ.
E la sgrata Sorrentina
non ha maje de me pietà.

4.

Si non cura cheste pene, quanto cana, tanto bella, voto strada, e do lo bbene a quacc'aŭta nennella.

Ma chiedè? vi che sbentura! lampa, e l'aria se fa scura, aggio spersa la banchina la varchetta è p'affonnà.

Pe tte sgrata Sorrentina io me vaco ad affucà!

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## OH, COME TO ME

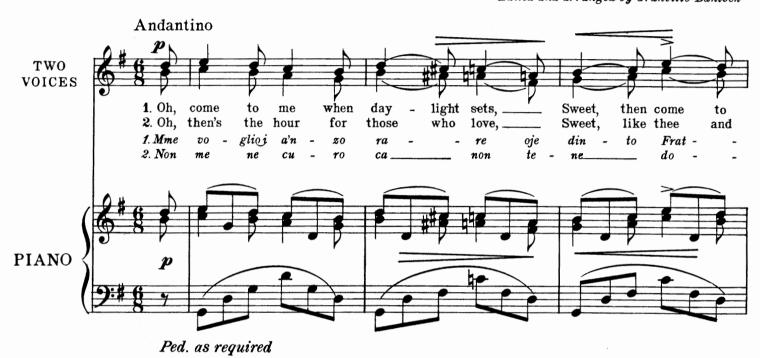
#### (LA RICCIOLELLA)

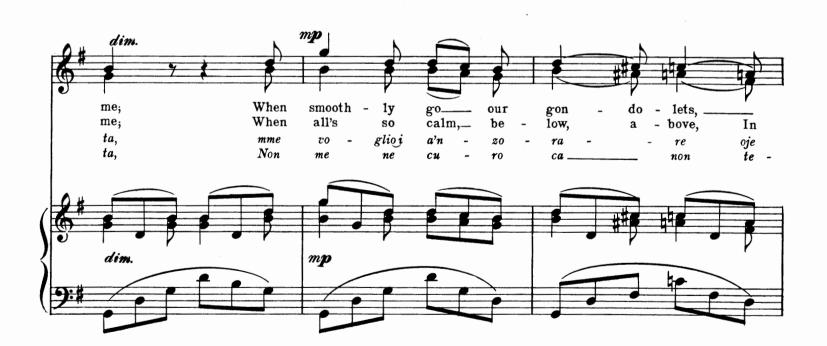
(Italy [Naples])

English words by THOMAS MOORE (1818)

Folksong (18th century)

Edited and arranged by Granville Bantock





<sup>\*)</sup> The above words were written by the poet as an adaptation to the accompanying tune for a collection of *National Airs*, published in 1818.





3. E quanno jammo a messa alla Maronna, (bis) parimmo tutte duje \_\_ Ricciolella Antonià! parimmo tutte duje figlie a na mamma!

#### 49 SANTA LUCIA (BARCAROLLE)

(Italy [Naples]) Boat -song Translated by Maria X. Hayes Edited and arranged by Granville Bantock Andantino (To the swing of the oar) VOICE 0 - cean is glow-ing, O'er the calm 1. Now 'neath the sil-ver moon Pure joys And as 2. Here balm - y zeph-yrs blow, in - vite us, we pla - ci - da è 1. Sul ma - re luc - ci - ca l'as - tro d'ar - gen - to, Oh! com' co - si 2. Con que - sto zef - fi - ro so - a - ve **PIANO** Ped. as required Now 'neath the sil-ver moon O - cean is bil - low Soft winds are blow-ing. All things de - light us. Here balm - y zeph-yrs blow, Pure joys ingen-tly row l'as - tro l'on - da, bel - lo ma - re luc-ci-ca d'arpros - pe - roèil ven - to, sulque - sto zef-fi-ro co - si na - ve! so star sur lacon bi1 Soft winds are blow-ing. Who then will O'er the calm \_ low glow-ing, All things de light us. Who will em vite us, And gen-tly row as we pla - ci - da è l'on - da, pros pe-roèil ven - to; ve - ni - te al gen - to, - ve Oh! com' belstar sur na - ve! pas - sag -



Santa Lucia!

Santa Lucia!

### SO THIS IS SAD LOVE'S ENDING

#### (FORSI PIRCHI NUN M'AMI)

#### SICILIANA





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#### UNTO A POOR BLIND LOVER

(A UN NIÑO CIEGOCITO)







#### **52**

## IF 'TIS SORROW SO TO LOVE THEE

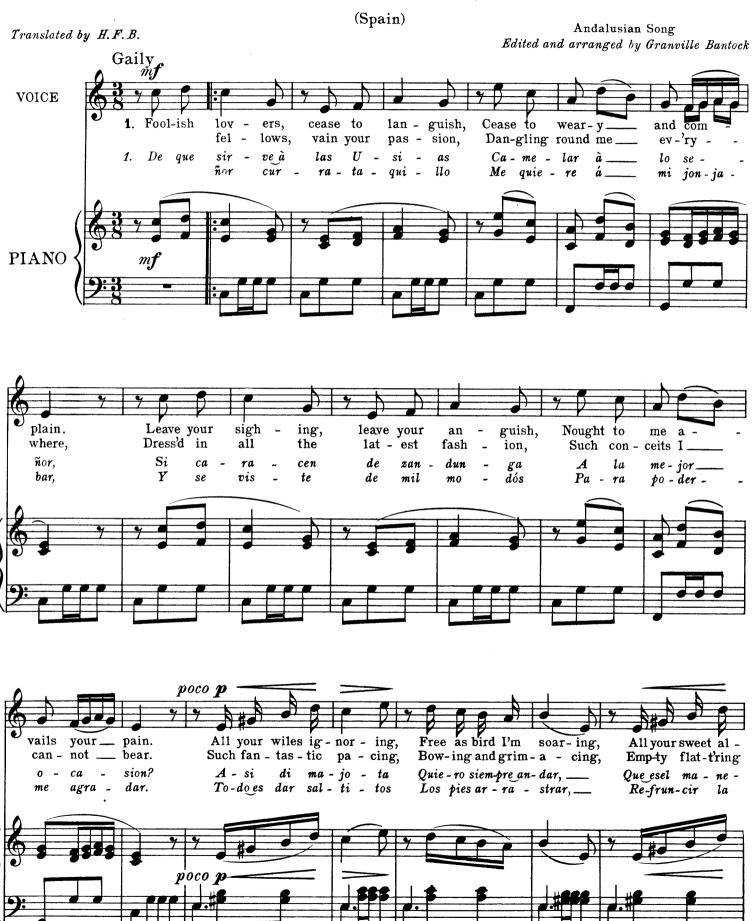
(YO M'ALEGRO DE HABÈR SIDO)

(Seguidilla)





# 53 MAY SONG (CANCION DE MAJA)





3. But one only, life's sole treasure,

Has my wild heart caught at last,
And at dances love's soft pleasure

Makes my heart beat loud and fast.
In the dance so sprightly,
He my hand takes lightly;
All my love and longing,
At his feet I cast.
So I'm singing,
"Go, poor lovers, love is here!"

3. Un santurron embustero
Me quiere a mi cortejar,
Y pretende mas que todos
Con capa de santidad;
Yo que lo conozco,
Le dejo al hablar,
Y cuando respondo,
Es con mucha sal;
Y yo le digo etc.

4. Un real majo me camela,
Que es el que gusto me da,
Pues se me quita el sentido
Solo de verle bailar.
Le toco las palmas
Y él con mucha sal
Baila una Matraca
Muy particular;
Y yo le digo etc

#### SONG OF THE FIG-TREE ORCHARD





There grew a fine fig-tree orchard,
To this orchard did I fare.)
I answered her right briskly:
"I'll stay here—that I swear.
For those eyes brightly flashing
A good price I would share!
Then off to distant countries
With you I'll straight repair,
Over ways ever winding
Like the trail of a hare!
The language of the Arabs
I speak it, you're aware;
And if the Moors do attack me
Their lives I'll never spare!"

There grew a fine fig-tree orchard,
To this orchard did I fare.
The Moor that was its warden
Was waiting for me there.
When he threatened me so fiercely
I adjured him to beware,
With blows I soon disarmed him,
And I slew him—did not spare
Did I steal those six maidens?
That I did—then and there
The maiden who address'd me
I sing as my Fair!
There grew a fine fig-tree orchard,
To this orchard did fare!

3.
No figueiral figueiredo,
A no figueiral entrei,
Eu lhe repricara:
'A mim fee non irey.
Ca olhos d'essa cara
Caro los comprarey;
A las longas terras
Entraz vos me irey,
Las compridas vias
Eu las andarey,
Lingoa de aravias
Eu las falarey
Mouros se me visse
Eu los matarey."

A.
No figueiral figueiredo,
A no figueiral entrey,
Mouro que las goarda
Cera lo achey
Mal la ameaçara
Eu mal me anogey,
Troncom desgalhara
Todolos machuquey,
Las niñas furtara,
Las niñas furtei.
La que a min falara
N'alma la chantey.
No figueiral figueiredo
A no figueiral entrey.

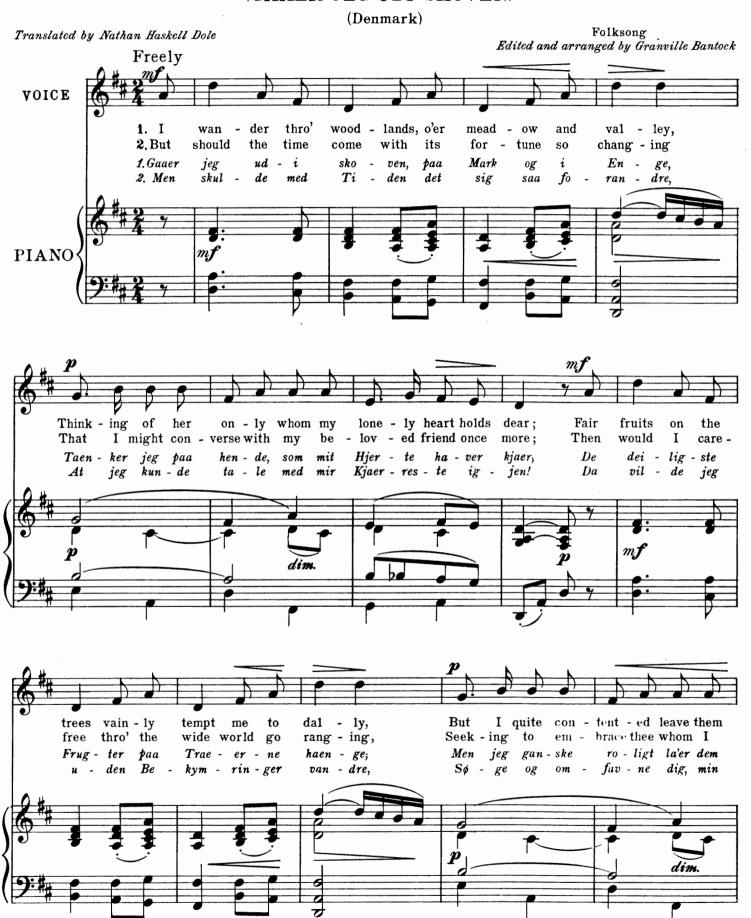
# WHEREFORE HAVE THY LIPS DENIED ME (MODINHA)





#### I WANDER THROUGH WOODLANDS

(GAAER JEG UDI SKOVEN)





3.

Ay, think of thy Maker who gives thee life's treasure,
Think of thy beloved while thy heart is still light,
Ay, think that thou dwellest in comfort and pleasure
While I fare alone and mourn thee, day and night!
Think how dear to me thou art,
Thou gavest me thy heart!
Think how at last we'll meet no more to part!

З.

Ja, taenk paa din Skaber, imedens du lever,
Taenk paa din Kjaerreste, mens Hjertet det er ungt!
Ja, taenk at du lever i Velfaerd og Glaeder,
Mens jeg gaaer alene og sukker saa tungt!
Taenk paa din søde Ven,
Som du gav dit Hjerte hen,
Taenk, at vi engang kan samles igjen!

## MARSTIG'S DAUGHTER







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Ikke maae vi udi Kong Eriks Død; Vi fare saa vide alt efter vort Brød."" Den Ældste tog den Yngste ved Haand. Og de fore etc.

Den Ældste tog den Yngste ved Haand, Taa ginge de dem til Norges Land. Kong Erik kom fra Thinge hjem Og de fore etc.

Kong Erik kom fra Thinge hjem; Marsk Stigs Døttre ginge hannem ud igjen. "Siger mig, hvad for Kvindfolk monne Ivaere? Og de fore etc.

Siger mig, hvad for Kvindfolk monne I vaere? Hvad have I udi mit Land at gjøre?" ""Og vi er Marsk Stigs Døttre baade Og de fore etc.

Og vi er Marsk Stigs Døttre baade, Taa gjerne bede vi om Eders Naade."" "Men kunne I brugge og kunne I bage?" Og de fore etc.

""Vi have ei laert at brugge eller bage, Og ikke noget sligt Embed' at mage; Men vi kunne spinde Guldet det røde Og de fore etc.

Men vi kunne spinde Guldet det røde, Det laerte os Moder forend hun døde; Og vi kunne vaeve saa vel i Vrør Og de fore etc.

Og vi kunne vaeve saa vel i Vrør Som nogen af alle Dronningens Møer. Vi Guld kunne spinde og vaeve i Lad Ôg de fore etc.

Vi Guld kunne spinde og vaeve i Lad; Men aldrig bliver vort Hjerte glad, Siden Fader og Moder de ginge os fra Og de fore etc.

Siden Fader og Moder de ginge os fra, Da er vor Kaabe baade paltug og graa. Havde Marsk Stigs levet og bleven i Lande Og de fore etc.

Havde Marsk Stigs levet og bleven i Lande, Det havde ei gaaet os saa ihaande. Og havde saa snarlig Fru Ingeborg ei døet Og de fore etc.

Og havde saa snarlig Fru Ingeborg ei døet, Vi havde ikke lidt den Jammer og Nød."" Konning Erik meldte et Ord med Skjel Og de fore etc.

Konning Erik meldte et Ord med Skjel: "Eders Fader jeg kjeudte saa gjørligen vel; Han var en Mand til Mund og Haand Og de fore etc.

Han var en Mand til Mund og Haand Som findes kunde udi et Land." Saa Hog han over dem Skarlagen Skind Og de fore etc.

Saa Hog han over dem Skarlagen Skind, Saa fulgte han dennem i Fruerstuen ind; Han bad dem hverken sørge eller graede Og de fore etc.

Han bad dem hverken sørge eller graede, Han skulde dem vaere i Faders Sted. Den aeldste Søster Vaeven trendte Og de fore etc.

Den aeldste Søster Vaeven trendte, Den yngte vaeved den ud tilende. Og hun vov i den første List Og de fore etc.

Og hun vov i den forste List Den Jomfru Maria og Jesum Christ; Og hun vov i det andet Vrør Og de fore etc.

Og hun vov i det andet Vrør Den Norge-Lands Dronning og alle hendes Møer. Saa vov de Hjort og saa vov de Hind Og de fore etc.

Saa vov de Hjort og saa vov de Hind, Saa vov de sig selv med blegen Kind; Og saa vov de med Fingre snare Og de fore etc.

Og saa vov de med Fingre snare Tilsidst Guds hellige Englėskare Den yngste Soster hun Vaeven affaeldte Og de fore etc.

Den yngste Soster hun Vaeven affaeldte Hun gav den Dronningen med megen Snilde. Hun faeldte derved de modige Taare Og de fore etc.

Hun faeldte derved de modige Taare: "Gud give det I vor Moder var! Var I vor Moder eller Søster kjaere Og de fore etc.

Var I vor Moder eller Søster kjaere, Vi finge baade Son og Ære. Det hjaelper os ikke et eneste Stykke Og de fore etc.

Det hjaelper os ikke et eneste Stykke, Vi maae alt uyde den kranke Sykke." Den aeldste Søster blev syg og laa Og de fore etc.

Den aeldste Søster blev syg og laa, Den yngste ganger hende til og fra. Den aeldste Søster af Sorg hendøde Og de fore etc.

Den aeldste Søster af Sorg hendøde Den yngste lever efter med Sorg og Møde. Og Kongen gav hende sin unge Søn Og de fore etc.

Og Kongen gav hende sin unge Søn Hun var hannem vaerd den Jomfru skjøn; De levede sammen med Æren. Og de fore etc.

## 58 BRAVELY SAILS MY BARK

#### (TÖLF SYNIR)

(Iceland)





2

Stakk eg hníf minn stofninn i ad bragdi, strax úr trénu eiturgusu lagdi; i stofninn bjúga stakk eg pá, strax kom hunang hnifnum á, eg soddan sá; fannst mèr mikid fyrst um pettad efni, fram pó lengra stefni.

Sá eg haenu sitja i lundi finum
sorgandi hjá unga kindum sinum,
ellefu hún átti sèr
allir dandir syndust mèr,
eg segi pér;
gádu nu kóngur glöggt ad raedu minni,
og grey-samvitsku pinni.

A

En sá tólfti einn mer sýndist lifa, upp á hennar baki var ad klifa, undran stóra eg af pvi fèkk, áfram leingra pó eg gekk, um foldarbekk, fifil-bleikan fák einn leit eg standa, á fodri eptir vanda.

5

Reiddýr petta Rýnar sól nam prýda, med randa gull um lend og faxid sida, gyltan södul á baki bar, búinn vel sá hófa mar, svo vaenn hann var, fagurt beizli fágad med jötna rómi fritt af saurleiks grómi.

ß

Fákur pessi fullur var af drambi, af fegurdinni staerdi sig med rambi, hann brá á leik og braut af sèr, búning allan, sýndist mèr, svo sundur fer, beizli, södull, búningur og reidi, hann braut sinn háls og deydi.

#### I LAID ME DOWN TO REST

(JEG LAGDE MIG SAA SILDE)





# HOMEWARD FROM THE MOUNTAINS (HJEMREISE FRA SAETEREN)

(Norway) In the dialect of Gudbrandsdal Shepherd's Song Translated by H. F. B. Edited and arranged by Granville Bantock Andantino mp dolce VOICE ley comes the herds-man, to his hearth and home so dear, la den, 1. Os ha gjort, kva gje - ras skul - le, y - sta Ost aa kjin-na Smör, Naa staa att **PIANO** mp sostenuto guard - ed bor is all fin - ish'd for the year. Safe - ly his cot-tage klöv-ja Öy - kjom, set-ja Laar for Sae-ter-dör Kork - je fins\_ dae Fö - e mei - re cresc. rall. from wild win-ter's storm and rain, So right gai - ly fares he home-ward to the vil - lage once a-gain. haer for Hei - e hell for Krist; os slep aat Byg - den, mei-re gla ae' Ku - e vist. dim. dim. e rall.



Kom naa Alt,'ti Saetre finnas, kom aa fölg aat Bygden ne, Heile Jore ae' naa röjugt, kvart eit Straa höyr Faenan te; Skond dök', Folkje venta heime, Bufaerslefa vil döm haa. Haer ae' intje meire gjera; Folk aa Faena, laet os gaa!

### DEAREST MAIDEN

#### (KAU FRA HALLINGDALEN)

(Norway)









## 62

# LITTLE KATIE (LITEN KARIN)



2

"Come, listen, little Katie, If thou wilt now be mine, Gray horse with golden saddle Shall be directly thine."

4

"Gray horse and golden saddle
Are far too grand for me;
Go, to thy young queen give them,
Let mine but honor be."

5

"Come, listen, little Katie, If thou wilt now be mine, A crown of gold the finest Shall be directly thine."

6

"A crown of gold the finest Is far too grand for me; Go, to thy young queen give it, Let mine but honor be."

7

"Come, listen, little Katie,
If thou wilt now be mine,
The half of all my kingdom
Shall be directly thine."

8

The half of all thy kingdom Is far too great for me; Go, to thy young queen give it, Let mine but honor be."

8

"Come, listen, little Katie, If thou dost me deny Within the spiked barrel Thou shalt be doomed to die."

10

"If, in the spiked barrel I'm doomed to die by thee The angels bright in heaven Will know from guilt I'm free."

11

Into the spiked barrel
They forced the gentle maid,
To roll it round and round then,
The King his servants bade.

12

From heav'n to her descended Two doves of spotless white; The three pure doves soar'd upwards Into the realms of light! 3

"Och hör, du liten Karin, Säg, vill du blifva min? Grå hästen och gullsadelen, Dem vill jag gifva dig?"

1

"Gra hästen och gullsadelen Jag passar inte på; Gif dem din unga drottning; Låt mig med äran gå?"

5

"Och hör, du liten Karin, Säg, vill du blifva min? Min rödaste gullkrona Den vill jag gifva dig."

6

"Din rödaste gullkrona Jag passar inte på; Gif den din unga drottning, Låt mig med äran gå!"

7

"Och hör, du liten Karin, Süg, vill du blifva min? Mit halfva kungarike Det vill jug gifva dig."

8

"Ditt halfva kungarike Jag passar inte pa; Gif det din unga drottning, Lat mig med äran ga!"

9

"Och hör, du liten Karin, Vill du ej blifva min, Så skall jag låta sätta dig I spiketunnan in."

10

"Och vill du låta sätta mig I spiketunnan in: Guds englar små de se, att jag Oskyldig är dertill."

11

De satte liten Karin I spiketunnan in, Och konungens små svenner De rullad' henne kring.

12

Sa kom det ifran himmelen Två hvita dufvor ner; De togo liten Karin, Och strax så blef det tre.

#### 63 WERMELAND (VERMELAND)





2.

Ja! när du engång skall bort och gifta dig, min vän,
Då skall du till Vermeland fara;
Der finnes nog guds gåfvor med flickor qvar igen,
Och alla ä' de präktiga och rara.

Men friar du der, så var munter och glad!
Ty muntra gossar vilja Vermlands flickorna ha;
De sorgsna — dem ge de på båten.

З.

Och Vermelands gossen han är så stolt och glad, Han fruktar för intet uti verlden; När konungen bjuder, då drager han åstad Bland kulor och blixtrande svärden. Ja! vore det Ryssar till tusendetal, Han ej dem alla fruktar, han vill ej annat val, Än dö aller segra med ära.

4.

Och skulle han ej strida med glädje och med mod,
Och lifvet sitt våga, det unga?
Der hemma sitter moder och beder för hans blod
Med bruden, den älskade, unga;
En Vermelands flicka, sa huld och så skön!
För kung och land han strider, och hon skall bli haus lön,
Ho kan honom da öfvervinna.

#### 64 ON A CRYSTAL THRONE

#### ATTOTATION DOLOTAL





Thus the singer! Then to heav'ns height leaping Laughing Freya shone through the night, Ever she saw to the sea strand creeping All his sad tears in silv'ry light. Soft she bless'd the lonely singer with her grace Shadow'd in the trembling wave her lovely face. Now is sounding so sweet and strong Across the deep the joyous harper's song!

4

All the stars of heav'n are dancing, bounding Mirror'd in leaping of the waves,
As the clear and silv'ry song is sounding
O'er the strand, through the echoing caves.
And when rosy-red the Day-god leapt on high,
Trembling, pale, the star swift faded from the sky,
Farewell murm'ring, "Mine hour is o'er."
While golden harp-strings sweetly rang no more.

Så den sorgsne. Men sid himlaranden
Freja huldt genom natten ler.
Evigt på den guldbeströdda stranden
Sina tårar hon glänsa ser.
Och sin vän på hafvet helsar hon så mild;
Vagen speglar darrande den huldes bild;
Necken höres på boljan blå
Så gladelig sin gyllne harpa slå.

3

"O, hvar dväljs du, klaraste bland stjernor!

I den blånande skymningsstund?

Du, som fordom, en af jordens türnor,

Var min brud uti hafvets grund,

Och, när hjertat brann vid mina ömma slag,

Smög sa skön och blyg de tjusande behag

Mot min barm i den svala flod,

Och gyllne harpan stum på vågen stod.

4

Men dig Oden böd högt öfver jorden Evigt stråla fran Gimles famn. Med sin harpa sångarn enslig vorden, Qvar blott äger din bild, ditt namn. Men en dag, när Midgårdsormen reser sig, Gudar väpnas, allt förlossas – då hos dig Skall jag åter på vagor blå För nya verldar gyllne harpan slå."

Nattens tärnor, klara stjernor alla
Gå till dans i den stilla qväll,
När de skära silfvertoner skalla
Öfver stranden från häll till häll.
Men när blodig dagens drott i östern står,
Bleknande och rädd den blida stjernan går,
Sorgligt afsked hon blickar ner,
Och gyllne harpan klingar icke mer.

#### OVER FIELDS AND OVER MEADOWS



- 2.
- When, my sweet-heart, you departed it was mid-day then,:
- | And you promised as you left me soon to come again...
  - 3.
- N: You will come no more beloved, I have lost all hope;:

  ■
- But I would not have you sorrow, God go with you, dear.:
  - 4
- I: I, the poor, forsaken maiden, all alone must dwell, I To my little room go creeping, sit upon the bench, On the table, newly planëd, lay my head and weep.

- 2
- # Poyckhal moy milenky, na odin chass,:
- # Govoril moy milenky, vorochvos sei chass.
  - 3.
- Nyé verneshsya, milenky, makhni pravoy rouchenkoy,
   Nyé makhnoul on rouchenkoy,
- poyézjaï Gospod s'toboï!:
  - 4.
- II: A ya, molodeshenka, odna doma ostalass, II Voïdoo ya vo gorenkoo syadvo ya na lavochkoo, Syadvo ya na lavochkoo za tiéssony nooy stoll.

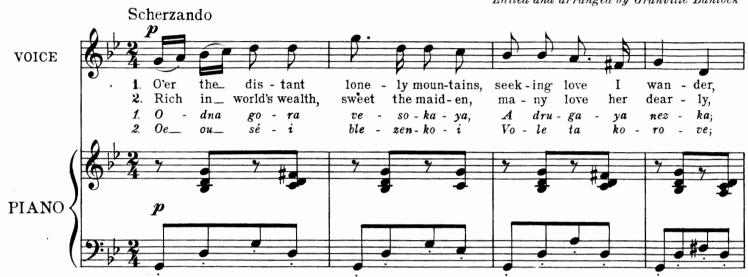
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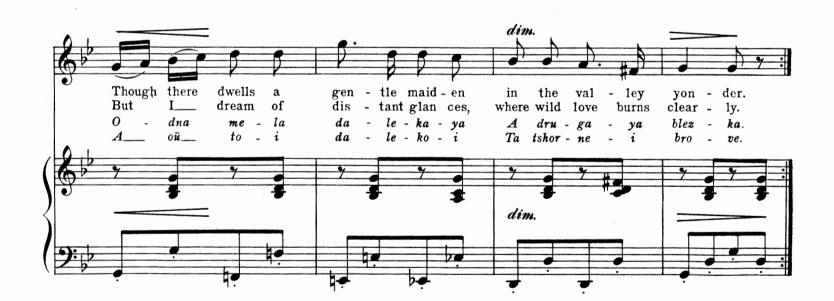
(Russia)

Translated by H.F.B.

Folksong from Little Russia

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3

Joys of wealth would but a moment still my soul's repining, While like stars those eyes for ever were through darkness shining.

4

Swift I come then, O beloved, spurning wealth and leisure, Soon will in these arms enfold thee, O my heart's one treasure. 3.

A oū séi blezenkoi Vole pozdechaoūt; A oū toi dalekoi Brivke né zlenyaoūt.

4

Oe ya souu blezenkyaoū Loūdyam podaruou, A do toi dalekoi, Oe sam pomandruoū.

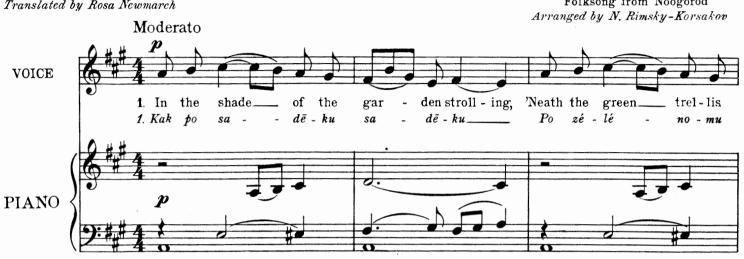
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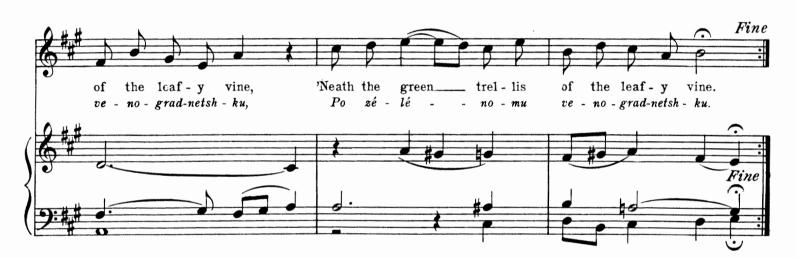
(KAK PO SADEKU)



Translated by Rosa Newmarch

Folksong from Noogorod





2.

There a youth who is bonny lingers, # It is dear Paul Alexieievich. :#

Now he combs out his locks so curly, II: Now he combs them and lets them flow so free.:

Then his fair curls the youth addresses: #: "Cluster close, cluster close, my ringlets bright. #

Round my face that is pale as lilies, #: Let your gold mingle with its rose and white. :

Draw my love, draw my Barbara nearer, # Make her thoughts and her fancies all my own. #

To the ways of a lover win her, # Bind the heart of the pretty lass to mine":#

Zdiéss khodil goolyal dobry molodets II: Sviet Pavel Aleksiéievich. :I

On chessal svoy koodriooshki II: On chessal prigovarival.: II

On roossym koodryam prikazyval: Il: Prilegaïté, moy kooderooshki.:Il

K' moyemoo, k' litsoo bielomoo, II: Shto obychaïoo molodetskomoo.:II

Kak o mné to, krassnoy dévooshka, II: Privykat nié khotélossya.:II

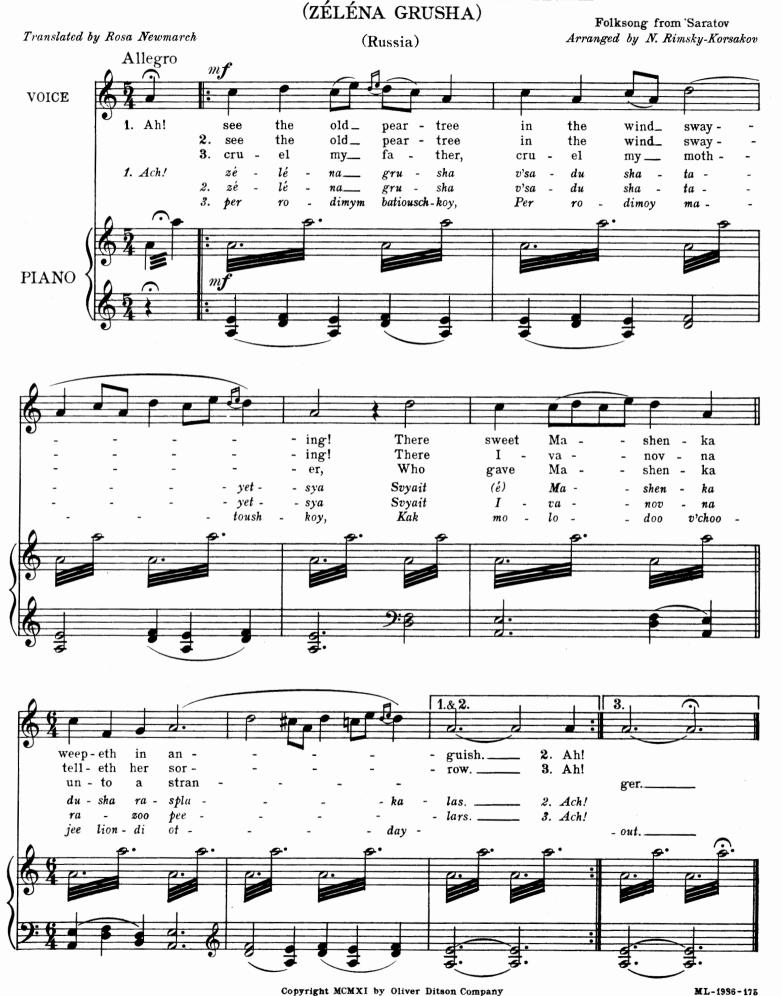
Za dossadoo pokazalossya, ll: Za dossado za velikooyou. :|

But the maid had no mind for wooing, Showed her scorn of the court he paid her-(In high dudgeon she frowned and went her way.)

## 'NEATH THE SHADOW OF A TREE



#### AH! SEE THE OLD PEAR-TREE



## COME AND TWINE THE SLIM BOUGHS (ZAPLAITESYA PLAITEN)



## DEAREST MAIDEN, HARK, I PRAY THEE



# LITTLE COTTAGE LOWLY (MAZUREK)



#### HOME MY SWEETHEART COMES FROM ROVING





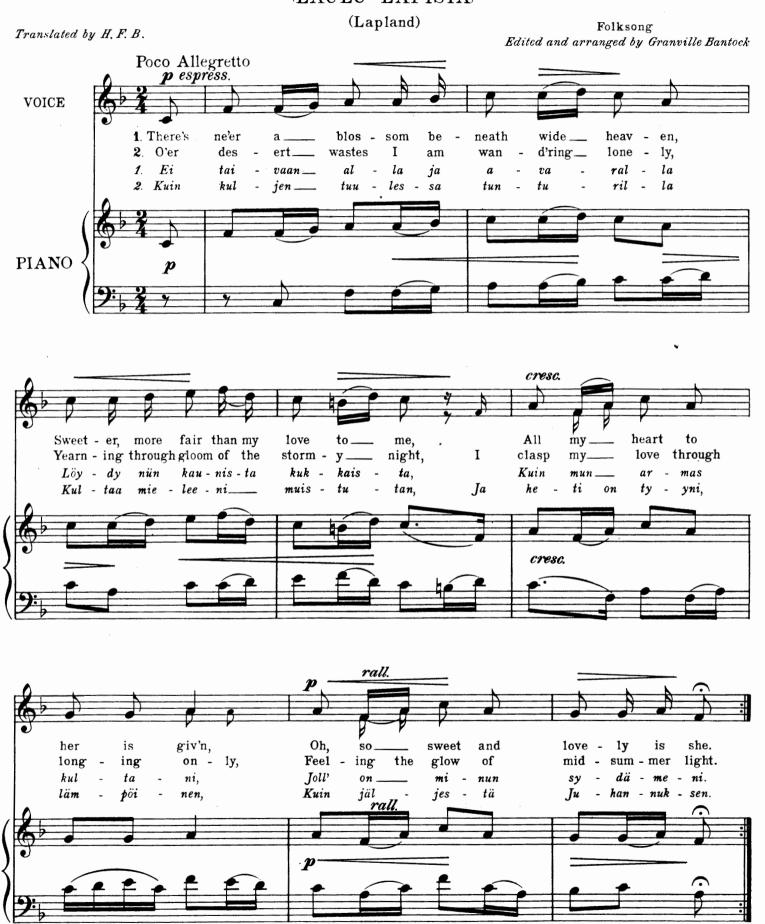
Kipunoina ||: kü' ättäisin; :||
10. Liekkinä ||: lehauttaisin; :||
Vierten vierehen ||: menisin, :||
Lupostellen ||: suun etehen. :||
Tok' mie kättä ||: käppäjäisin, :||
Vaikk' ois käärme ||: kämmenellä; :||

15. Tok' mie suuta || suikkajaisin,:||
Vaikk' ois surma || suun e'essä;:||
Tok' mie kaulahan || kapuisin,:||
Vaikk' ois kalma || kaula-luilla;:||

Tok' mie vierehen Lviruisin,: 120. Vaikk' ois vierus verta Ltaynnä. 11 Vaanp' ei ole Lkullallani,: 11 Ei ole suu Lsu'en veressä, 11 Kä'et käärmehen Ltalissa,: 11 Kaula kalman Ltarttumissa;: 11

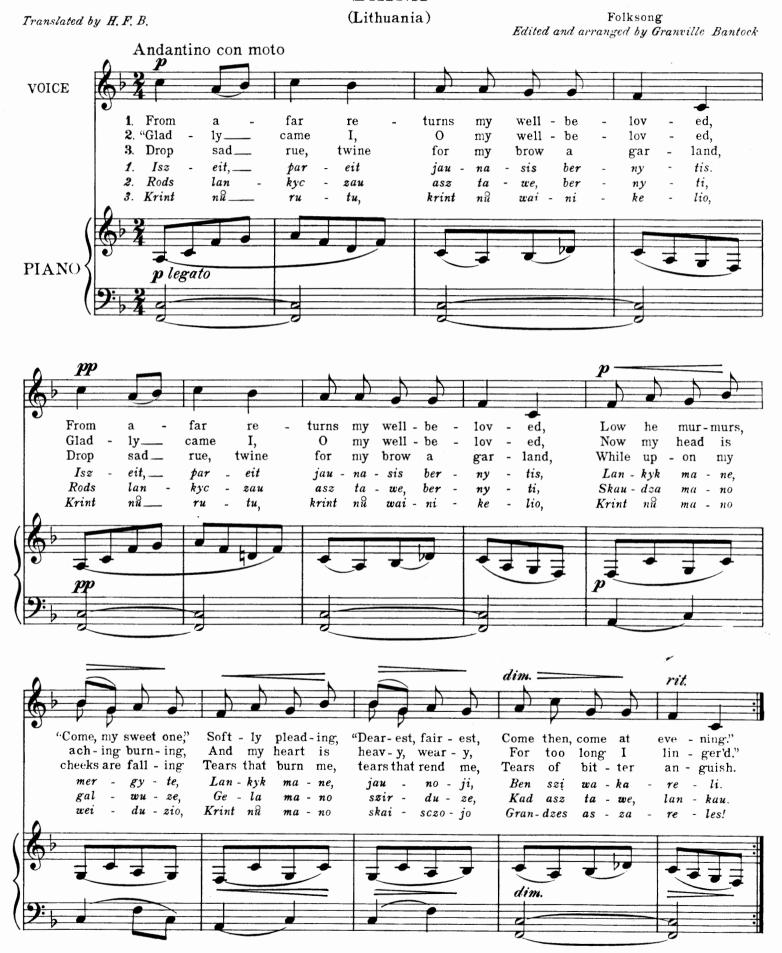
25. Suu on rasvasta L sulasta, 1 Huulet kun L hunaja-meestä, 1 Kä'et kultaiset, L koriat, 1 Kaula kun kanervan L varsi! 1

# 74 THERE'S NE'ER A BLOSSOM (LAULU LAPISTA)



#### FROM AFAR RETURNS MY WELL-BELOVED

(DAINA)



# WHY SO SILENT, TELL ME, BIRDIE (PAUN I KOLO)



# COME, MY DEAREST (PJESMA)

(Servia)

Translated by H.F.B.

Folksong

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#:Moj me dragi ne ljubi jednako,#
#:Il' jednako, il' nemoj nikako, :# etc.
Il' se mani, ili me sahrani.
Znaš nevero kako si se kleo?
Na sred sela kod bresta zelenu:
"Drugu necú, za tobom umret cu;"
A danas si veru prevrnus,
Bolesna te prevrtula majka,
Od Mitrova do Petrova danka,
I opet ti duša ne wzašla,
Dok na mome krilu ne zaspao!

#### 78 THE OUTLAW (TRI GODINI)

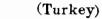
(Bulgaria) Folksong Translated by H.F. B. Edited and arranged by Granville Bantock Largo VOICE geon have \_ I 1. In 1. Tri lan - guish'd for. the dun v`tam ni digo pp, PIANO ·pp mf dim. To the Če - ti fold will\_they bring scaf three\_ long\_\_\_ years; - ri\_ trem. dim. con espress. cresc. weighs Ah!  $_{Do}^{\mathrm{my}}$ grief\_de out my fears. ja vota. migu. rit. pp



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#### THE SUN HANGS HIGH

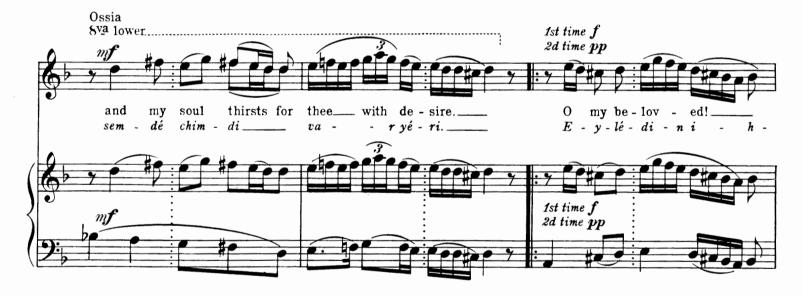
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## THE MUSICIAN





## SLEEP, MY CHILD (AÏNTE)





# UPON THY LOVELY LIPS (CHARŐ)



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## ZOHRA











### 84 MY BELOVED

(MA GAZELLE)







#### 85 SOLEÏMA ANSON MAURESOUE





### 86 STAMBOUL (KABYLE SONG)

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(Tripoli)

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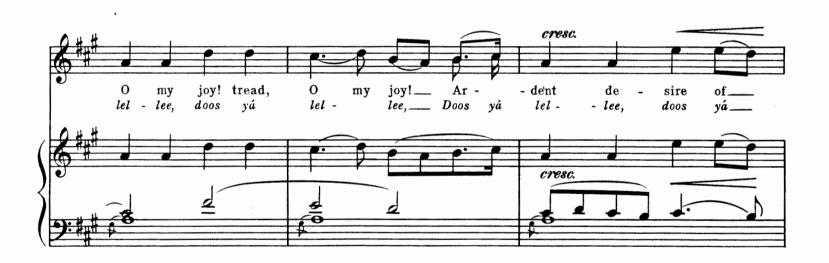
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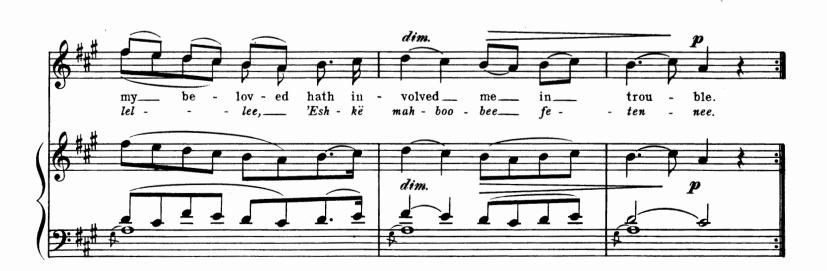
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Popular Melody
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Tread! O my joy! Tread! O my joy! (three times)

Ardent desire of my beloved hath involved me in trouble.

The preceding lines are repeated after each of the following stanzas, sometimes as a chorus.

Let not every one whose eyes sleep Imagine that the lover sleepeth. By Allah! I am inflamed with intense love, The lover is not obnoxious to blame.

O Sheykh of the Arabs! O Seyyid! Unite me to the true love one night! And if the beloved of my heart come to me I will make the Kashmeer shawl her canopy.

The perfect in attributes hath involved me in trouble, And the black eyes have o'erthrown me.

From love of them I began to sing,
And the air<sup>1</sup> increased my madness.

1(air of the song)

The crew of reproachers leagued together
To debar me from my beloved.
By Allah! I will not relinquish the love of them,
Though they should cut me in pieces with swords.

2(the black eyes)

Up with us! O true love! Let us intoxicate ourselves Under the shade of the jasmine:
We will pluck the peach from its mother [tree]
While the reproachers are unconscious.

O ye damsels in the city!<sup>8</sup>
Ye have things of value:
Ye wear the shateh with pearls,
And the kiladeh, an ornament over the bosom.
<sup>8</sup>(Cairo)

O ye damsels of Alexandria! Your walk over the furniture is alluring: Ye wear the Kashmeer shawl, with lama, And your lips are sweet as sugar.

4(carpets)

O ye beauties! fear God, And have mercy on the lover for the sake of God. The love of you is ordained by God: The Lord hath decreed it against me. Doos yá lellee. Doos yá lellee. (three times) 'Eshkë mahboobee fetennee.

The preceding lines are repeated after each of the following stanzas, sometimes as a chorus.

Má kullu men námet 'oyoonuh Yahsib el-'áshik yenám. Wa-lláh ana mughram sabábeh, Lem 'ala-l-'ashik melám.

Ya Sheykh el-'Arab: Yá Seyyid: Tegmaanee 'a-l-khilli leyleh. Wa-n gánee habeebë kalbee La-amal lu-l Kashmeer dulleyleh.

Kámil-el owsáf fetennee Wa-l'-oyoon es-sood ramoonee Min häwáhum sirt aghannee Wa-l-häwa zowwad gunoonee.

Gema'om gem'al al-awazil An habeebee yemna 'oonee. Wa-llah ana ma afoot hawahum Bi-s-suyoof low katta 'oonee.

Kum bi-në yá khillë neskar Tahta dill el-yásameeneh: Nektuf el-khókh min'ala ummuh Wa-l-'awázil gháfileenë.

Yú benát goowa-l-medeeneh 'Andakum ashya temeeneh; Telbisu-sh-sháteh bi-loolee Wa-l-kiládeh 'a-n-'nehdi zeeneh.

Yá benát Iskendereeyeh Meshyukum 'a-l-farshi gheeyeh: Telbisu-l-Kashmeer bi-tellee Wa-sh-shefáif sukkareeyeh.

Yá miláh kháfoo min Allah Wa-rhamu-l-'ashik li-llah. Hobbukum mektook min Allah: Kaddaru-l-Mowla 'aleiya.

The metres of the original text, as well as of the translation, are irregular and should be adapted by the singer to the requirements of the melody, adding or omitting notes as may be deemed necessary.

# THERE'S NO DEITY BUT GOD

(LÁ ILAHÁ ILLALLÁH)



He saith, "Our griefs are equal: Worn away with love I lie." Alas! Did not estrangement Draw my tears, I would not sigh.

#### THINE EYES ARE BRIGHT WITH FIRE

(Arabia)



#### French translation from the Arabic.

- (1) Toi, qui as l'oeil du jeune faon, toi, qui as le regard de la Gazelle. Pourquoi cette fierté? Pourquoi cette coquetterie?
- (2) Chose bien dure est la rupture! Qui la supporte patiémment, honte à pareille conduite! Qui aime n'agit pas ainsi.
- (3) Ah! si javais un messager habile, intelligent, pour dépêcher à celle que j'aime! Mais aujourd'hui on ne trouve plus ni pareils messagers, hélas! ni personne qui sache quérir le mal de l'amant qui se plaint.

Translated by A. Gorguos. (Christianowitsch-Musique Arabe)

### DEIGN MY VOICE TO HEAR

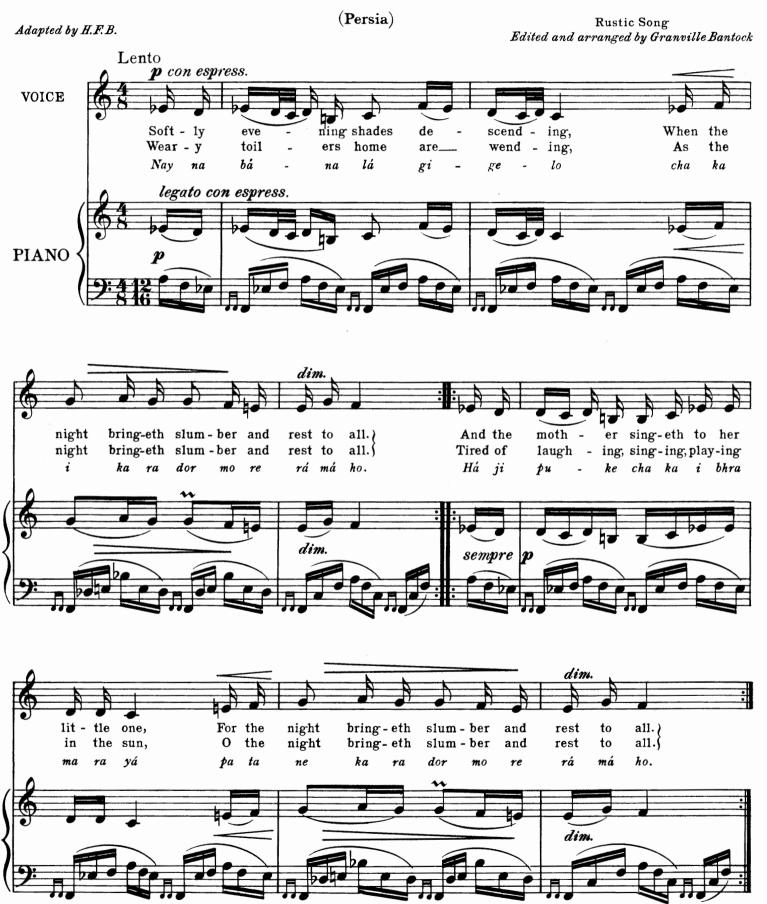
(GUSCHI KI BEHAKK)







# RUSTIC SONG (DURWAN'S SONG)



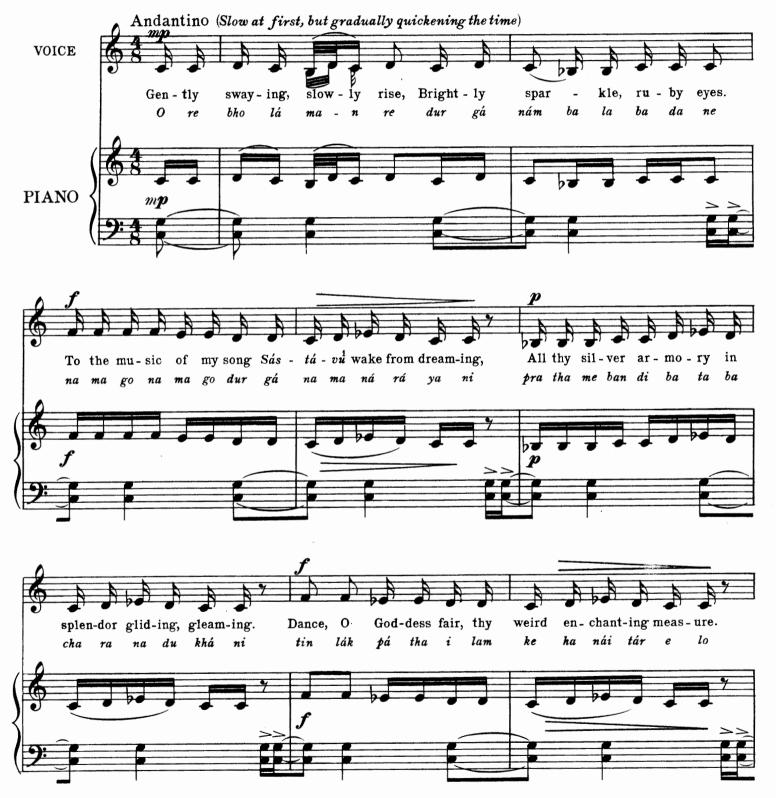
## SNAKE-CHARMER'S SONG

(O RE BHO LÁ MA-N RE)

(India)

Adapted by H.F.B.

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- 1 Sástávu, a Snake Goddess dedicated to the hills.
- 2 Durgá, a Snake Goddess dedicated to the sea-coast.
- 3 Nagá Amman, the Snake Mother.
- 4 Siva, one of the Hindoo Trinity, who wears a snake as an emblem in his hair.

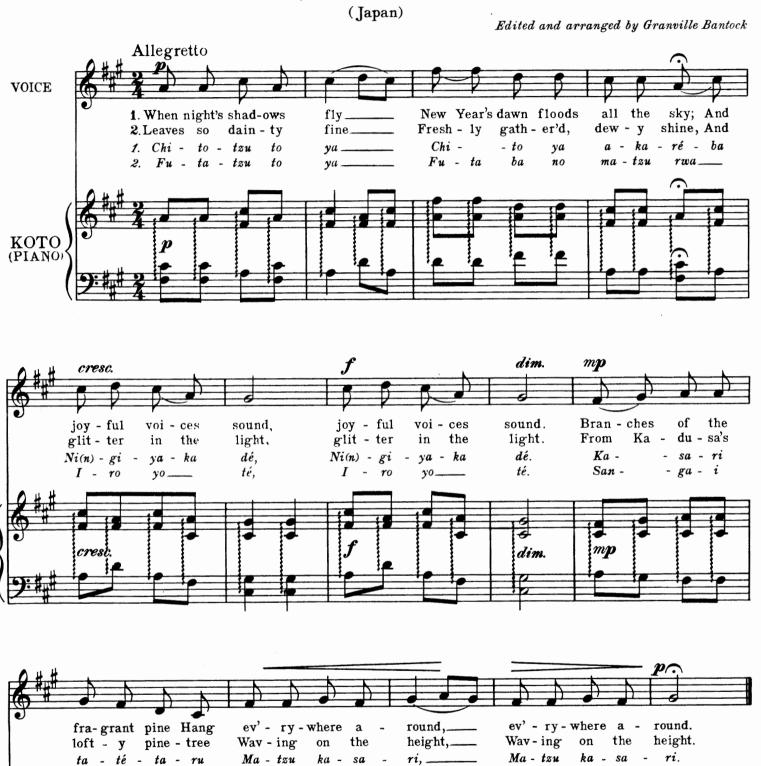


# JASMIN-FLOWER



### NEW YEAR SONG

(HARU-NO-UTA)





### 95 CHERRY-BLOOM (SAKURA)



# PAWNEE WAR-SONG (KA DE LA WATS)



### DAKOTA SERENADE

(SHICÉ SHICÉ)

(American Indian)

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### OLD FOLKS AT HOME

(United States of America) Words and Music by STEPHEN C. FOSTER (1826-1864) Moderato Edited and arranged by Granville Bantock Solo o dolce VOICE 1. 'Way de Rib - ber, down up on Swa nee Far, far a 2. A11 round de 1it - tle wan-der'd, When farm I I was 3. One lit - tle hut đe bush - es, One a mong dat Ι **PIANO** p poco sostenuto ten. Dere's ing wha' my heart is turn eb - ber, way, Den man - y hap - py days I squan - der'd, young, sad - ly Still mem rush - es, love, to my 'ry ten dim. espress. dim. più p A11 and down de up wha' de old folks. stay. . Dere's When Ī was play - ing Man - y de songs I sung. mat - ter where rove. When will I see de No più p legato dim.



### TENTING ON THE OLD CAMP GROUND

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(United States of America)





#### DIXIE

(United States of America)

DAN D. EMMETT

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